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PURPOSE OF THIS REPORT

The San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc. was established by the City and County of San Diego to "provide for a regional, comprehensive system of planning and administration of education, job training and employment resources." Included in these services is the *Occupational Outlook Report* which we research, compile, publish annually, and distribute countywide. This report provides an ongoing analysis of the San Diego County labor market.

Annually we target specific occupations and survey hundreds of employers throughout the county. Information regarding qualifications, wages, benefits, and advancement opportunities is gathered and published in a user-friendly format for use by:

- Job Seekers
- Career Counselors
- Program Planners
- Curriculum Designers
- Economic Development Personnel
- Trainers
- Educators
- Human Resource Managers
- Employers

Labor Market Perspective:

The changes in our economy, particularly in the '90s, will have a significant impact on the types of jobs available in San Diego county and the skills required for employment. The emphasis is shifting away from the traditional industries, such as construction and agriculture. Instead, a new group of industry clusters has emerged to lead San Diego's job growth in areas that have potential for the future. These clusters consist of groups of industries related by supplying, creating or selling a certain product or service and are projected to lead in the expansion of our local economy.

Leading Industry Clusters:

- Telecommunications
- Software development
- Health care products and services
- Business and financial services
- Tourism and hospitality
- · Recreational goods
- Electronics

These are further anticipated to provide impetus for growth in personal services, retail and wholesale trades, construction and supply industries. In most occupations, applicants will find more competition, and an increasing demand for specific and/or technical skills. Employers are seeking computer literate workers in most industries and occupational levels. The emphasis on a service-oriented, "information based" economy is increasing the requirements for good communication, problem-solving, critical thinking and interpersonal skills. Job seekers and employees must be prepared to work in occupations that require flexibility to adapt to changing skill requirements and job demands, including the ability to work either independently or as a team member.

How To Use This Report:

The occupations in this report include mid-level and emerging jobs throughout San Diego County. The format of information in this report was specifically designed to be easy to understand and use. The introductory sections provide an overview and quick reference for the terminology and coding systems used in this report. Please review the Description of Individual Occupational Profiles to assist in interpreting the information.

For questions, please call the labor market information unit at (619)238-1445.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc. thanks the San Diego Local Occupational Information Coordinating Committee (LOICC) members for their contributions to the San Diego Occupational Outlook Report. The role of the LOICC is to guide the selection of occupations to be surveyed, and establish community linkages for input into the selection process. The profiled occupations were first nominated by Career Counselors, Rehabilitation Specialists, Case Managers, Educators and Program Planners, then finalized by the LOICC. The list of occupations includes many that have training programs available through local community colleges, the Regional Occupational Program (ROP), adult education, private training providers, extended studies, colleges and universities which are included in Appendix A.

The LOICC is chaired by:

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John Berkley, San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc Dr. Emmett Casey, San Diego Mesa College Kelly Cunningham, San Diego Chamber of Commerce Gary Moss, San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc. David O'Rell, Economic Development Corporation Cheryl Rietz, California Department of Rehabilitation Susan Yamate, San Diego County Office of Education, Regional Occupational Program, (ROP).

In collecting the data for preparing the individual profiles, over 550 local employers graciously gave their time and valuable responses. Without their cooperation the Occupational Outlook Report would not be possible. To all the responding employers we express our appreciation and extend a BIG THANK YOU!

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METHODOLOGY

Steps in Research

- 1. <u>Occupational forecast:</u> Occupational projections are developed by the Labor Market Information Division (LMID) of the Employment Development Department and are used to help identify growing and declining occupations.
- 2. Occupation selection: A list of 100 occupations is presented to an audience of vocational counselors, trainers, employers and educators at the prior year's Occupational Outlook Report dissemination meeting. Attendees rate the importance of obtaining information for each of the occupations identified. The Local Occupational Information Coordinating Committee (LOICC) reviews the results of these rankings in detail and makes the final selection of occupations to be surveyed.
- **3.** Questionnaire development: Specific information needs for each occupation are determined, and questionnaires are developed by LMID to respond to local information needs.
- **4. <u>Sample selection:</u>** LMID generates employer samples by industry and employer size. Employers are contacted to verify that they employ persons in the occupation and are willing to participate in the project.
- 5. <u>Employer survey:</u> Confidential employer surveys are conducted by telephone, fax or mail. Completed surveys are reviewed for internal consistency and employers recontacted for clarification as needed.

- **6.** <u>Data entry and tabulation:</u> Completed surveys are reviewed and the responses entered in a CCOIS database which generates basic data tabulations.
- 7. Written analysis: The data from those tabulations and other relevant information is carefully analyzed to prepare the individual occupation profiles. (Sufficient information was obtained during the second half of 1997 to develop 36 profiles.)

Report Distribution

- a) The written analysis is presented at a public dissemination meeting, which is the initial step in publicizing the occupational information collected.
- b) The Occupational Outlook Report is also distributed to high schools and community college career counselors, vocational rehabilitation offices and library systems throughout San Diego County.
- c) The occupational information projections and training sources have also been incorporated in the ERISS program, an automated labor market information system which is offered through the ROP, community colleges, high schools, rehabilitation offices, Career Centers and the Employment Development Department offices.

Uses for Occupational Outlook Report

The information in this report can be used by a variety of organizations and individuals for many different purposes. Possible uses include:

Career Decisions - Career counselors and job seekers can make informed occupational choices based on skills,

abilities, interests, education, and personal needs. The localized information is easy to read and

includes employer requirements and preferences, wages, labor demand, and sources of

employment and training.

Program Planning - This report provides local planners and administrators with employment and training

information, as well as occupational size and expected growth rates. Program planners can use this data to evaluate, improve, and eliminate programs or to plan new programs.

Curriculum Design - Each training provider can assess and update its curriculum based on current employer needs and

projected trends.

Economic Development - Local government agencies and economic development organizations can find information on

the labor pool, occupational size, expected growth rates, and wages useful in determining the

potential for business growth and development in our labor market area.

Program Marketing - Training providers can effectively market their programs by informing students, employers, and

others that the chances for job placement are much greater because their training programs are

developed using reliable local occupational data.

Human Resource Management - Small business and corporate human resource directors can use this report to help determine

competitive wages and benefits to improve recruitment methods, and to assess the availability of

qualified workers for business expansion or relocation purposes.

This report is intended to be used as an informative reference to support these and many other decisions. To maximize the use of this information, please contact Labor Market Information at the San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc. (619) 238-1445.

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DESCRIPTION OF INDIVIDUAL OCCUPATIONAL PROFILES

The following is a brief description of the topics in the profiles in the 1998 Occupational Outlook Report, including definitions of frequently used terms explaining the survey results.

The terms throughout the report to describe survey results are:

• All: 100% of the survey responses

• Almost all: 80 - 99% of the survey responses

Most: 60 - 79% of the survey responses
Many: 40 - 59% of the survey responses

• **Some:** 20 - 39% of the survey responses

• Few: less than 20% of the survey responses

<u>Title and Definition of Occupation</u>: Each occupation has a six-digit occupational code and definition from the Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) classification system. OES descriptions are broader in scope than the Dictionary of Occupational Titles (DOT) classification system. Each OES code may include several detailed DOT titles.

<u>Education, Training, Experience and Skills:</u> This section is a compilation of responses covering the following:

- Type of education and training completed by individuals hired into the occupation over the past year.
- Related work experience and type required.
- Listing of skills rated very important by employers.
- Additional employer specified skills.

Occupational Characteristics:

Career Ladders - Reports the previous occupations from which people were promoted into the profiled occupation and those occupations which serve as promotional opportunities.

Nontraditional Occupations - Defined as having 25% or less workers who are women.

Turnover - Calculated for each occupation, based on vacancies (resulting from promotions and employees leaving the firm) filled over the last 12 months, divided by the total reported number of persons in that occupation. This is reported as a percentage. Terms used to describe turnover are:

• Very low: Less than 6%

Moderately low: Between 6% and 10%Moderate: Between 11% and 20%

• Moderately high: Between 21% and 30%

• **High:** Over 30%

Unionization - Shown as the percentage of the responding employers who report employees as members of a union.

Where the Jobs are: Identifies the industry groups that serve as major sources of employment for each occupation. The percentage indicated is derived from industry employment distribution data provided by LMID.

<u>Fringe Benefits</u>: Of firms offering benefit packages, the percentage of those that respond and offered each type of benefit is shown. The following will assist the reader in understanding this section.

- Benefits may be offered but not necessarily paid by the employer.
- Part-time benefits are not reported when there are few part-time workers in the occupation.
- Additional benefits identified by employers are listed at the bottom of this section.
- An asterisk (*), instead of a percentage, indicates that fewer than three employers responded and offered this benefit. This information is withheld to protect the confidentiality of individual responses.

<u>Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods</u>: Presents information on the methods employers use to recruit new employees. Each employer is asked to indicate all of the recruitment methods used. The methods are reported in order of frequency of use by employers.

Supply and Demand: Employers are asked to rate on a four-point scale the difficulty they have in finding experienced and inexperienced applicants to fill vacancies. The employers' responses are combined to form a weighted average using a formula that includes the number of new hires and the number of firms.

The following terms describe the degree of difficulty in finding applicants:

- Very Difficult: Employer demand is considerably greater than supply of qualified applicants. Applicants may find little competition for job openings.
- Somewhat Difficult: Employer demand is somewhat greater than the supply of qualified applicants. Applicants may find opportunities for job openings somewhat competitive.
- A Little Difficult: Supply of qualified applicants is somewhat larger than demand for qualified applicants. Applicants may find opportunities for job openings competitive.
- Not Difficult: Supply of qualified applicants is considerably greater than demand. Applicants may find opportunities for job openings very competitive.

Hours and Wages*: The distribution of full-time, part-time, on-call temporary and seasonal employees is reported along with the average number of hours worked per week. The range and median of hourly wages are presented for three categories of employees:

- **New Hires with No Experience:** Persons trained or otherwise qualified, but with no paid experience in the occupation.
- **New Hires with Experience**: Experienced persons, or persons at the journey level (if applicable), but just starting with the firm.
- After Three Years with the Firm: Persons at the journey level (if applicable) or having at least three years of experience in the occupation with the firm. Both union and non-union median wages are presented for occupations having union representation.

*Data collection was completed by August 31, 1997 prior to an increase in the federal minimum wage effective September 1, 1997.

Occupational Size and Growth Projections: This section presents the seven-year growth and job openings projections (1994-2001) using the OES projection system. It also summaries the size of employment in the occupation, based on percentage of the total employment in the county. Terms used to describe size of employment are:

- Small: Less than 1,423 employees (less than .15% of 1994 employment)
- Medium: 1,423 2,844 employees (.15% to .299% of 1994 employment)
- Large: 2,845 6,164 employees (.30% to .649% of 1994 employment)
- **Very Large:** More than 6,165 employees (more than .65% of 1994 employment)

Growth Trends: This is an overview of projected seven year new job growth rates in relation to the overall average new job growth rate (13.7%, 1994 - 2001) for the county. The following terms are applied to the occupational growth trends for San Diego County.

• Much Faster than Average: 20.55% or more

• Faster than Average: 15.07% to 20.54%

• **Average:** 12.33% to 15.06%

• Slower than Average: less than 12.33%

SAN DIEGO CAREER CENTER NETWORK

The San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc. and its many partners have established a Career Center Network throughout San Diego County. The Career Center Network is comprised of six uniquely designed Career Centers. The Career Center Network core partners are: the San Diego Workforce Partnership, Inc., Employment Development Department, Community College Districts, County of San Diego Human / Health Services Agency, Consumer Credit Counselors of San Diego and Imperial Counties and Labor's Community Service Agency. In addition to the core partners, each center is assisted by partners from its geographic area. All of the partners integrate their services and provide a "one-stop" location to meet the needs of the local population.

The Career Center Network provides employment services to the general public, including specific services to laid-off and long-term unemployed workers. Additionally, each Center assists employers who are anticipating layoffs or who are hiring by providing prescreened qualified candidates. This occupational information is incorporated into the ERISS program, an automated labor market information system available at each Career Center.

SAN DIEGO CAREER CENTER NETWORK LOCATIONS

San Diego Metro Career Center

8401 Aero Drive San Diego, CA 92123-1720 (619) 974-7620 Fax: (619) 974-9805

East County Career Center

(Located at the East County Regional Ed. Ctr) 924 E. Main Street El Cajon, CA 92021 (619) 590-3900 Fax: (619) 579-4720

North County Career Center

5315 Avenida Encinas Carlsbad, CA 92008 (760) 930-2400 Fax: (760) 930-8014

South County Career Center

1111 Bay Blvd., Suite E Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 424-1112 Fax: (619) 424-1144

South Metro Career Center

6145 Imperial Avenue San Diego, CA 92114 (619) 266-3600 Fax: (619) 266-3605

Inland North County Career Center

1951 East Valley Parkway Escondido, CA 92027 (760) 738-0274 Fax: (760) 738-8723

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OCCUPATIONAL PROFILES

ACCOUNTANTS and AUDITORS

OES 211140

Accountants and Auditors examine, analyze and interpret accounting records for the purpose of giving advice or preparing statements and installing or advising on systems of recording costs or other financial and budgetary data.

Alternate Job Titles: Certified Public Accountant, Financial Representative, Tax Accountant

Related DOT Codes: 160.162-010, 160.162-018, 160.162-022, 160.162-026, 160.167-034, 160.167-054

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

<u>Education:</u> Many recent hires have a bachelor degree. Some have an associate degree.

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Most firms require 1 -2 years bookkeeping or accounting training. Employers prefer applicants with spreadsheet, word processing and specialized accounting software skills.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 2 - 4 years experience as a bookkeeper or accountant.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to meet deadlines

Ability to pay attention to detail

Ability to work under pressure

Ability to read and follow instructions

Business math skills

Ability to work independently

Ability to work as a team member

Ability to use a computer

Problem solving skills

Oral communication skills

Knowledge of accounting and spreadsheet software

Ability to write legibly

Keep current on new accounting software

Organization and communication skills

Knowledge of the Internet

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Staff Accountant, Senior Accountant, Controller, Chief Financial Officer.

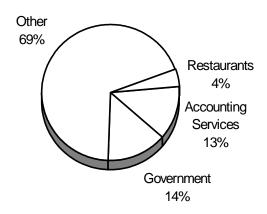
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

68% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 41% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	93%
Vision Insurance:	80%
Life Insurance:	80%
Paid Sick Leave:	87%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	73%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referral, in-house promotion or transfer, newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Accountants and Auditors

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Accountants and Auditors work full-time, 43 hours per week and some work part-time 25 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$7.00 - 14.50	\$10.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.50 - 24.00	\$12.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$13.00 - 33.50	\$16.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 880

Separations to 2001: 940
*Total Openings: 1,820

New Job Growth Rate: 13.6%*. Projected growth is about the same as the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 77

CARPENTERS OES 871020

Carpenters perform the carpentry duties necessary to make or repair wooden structures, structural members and fixtures and equipment using carpentry tools and woodworking machines. Does not include Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters.

<u>Alternate Job Titles:</u> Apprentice / Journeyman Carpenter, Carpenter Piece Workers, Framers

Related DOT Codes: 860.381-022, 860.381-042, 860.664-010, 869.281-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. A few have college (but not necessarily a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Almost all firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work related experience. Employers prefer applicants who have 1 - 4 years of carpentry apprenticeship.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work related experience. They prefer 1 - 4 years experience as a construction trades worker, apprentice or journeyman carpenter.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to work on a team

Provide own hand tools

Shop math skills

Ability to lift 50 lbs.

Ability to read and follow instructions

Rough and finished carpentry skills

Regular use of own vehicle

Ability to work independently

Ability to do strenuous, physically demanding work

Knowledge of safe workplace rules

Drug free workplace

Knowledge of steel stud framing

Knowledge of surveying

Computer - Laptop Usage

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to Leadperson, Foreperson, Operations Manager, Superintendent.

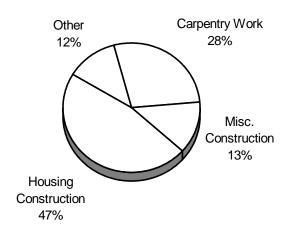
Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

1% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Very low, 2% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes. 13% of employers and 16% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	54%
Vision Insurance:	46%
Life Insurance:	23%
Paid Sick Leave:	23%
Paid Vacation:	31%
Retirement Plan:	46%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referral, unsolicited applicants, newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, Employment Development Department, union hall referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	
A Little Difficult		X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Carpenters

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Carpenters work full-time, 40 hours per week. A few work part-time 26 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range*	Median*
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 10.00	\$7.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.00 - 19.00	\$11.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$13.00 - 25.00	\$16.50

^{*} Union and non-union wages are combined in the above calculations.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 810

Separations to 2001: 720 *Total Openings: 1,530

New Job Growth Rate: 15.3%*. Projected growth is faster than

the county-wide average of 13.7%*

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years due to increased volume of business and backlog of work.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 78

CHEMISTS - EXCEPT BIOCHEMISTS

OES 241050

Chemists conduct chemical tests, qualitative and quantitative chemical analyses or chemical experiments in laboratories for quality or process control to develop new products or new knowledge. Does not include Biochemists.

Alternate Job Titles: Quality Control Chemist, Environmental Chemist, Junior Chemist, Research Associate

Related DOT Codes: 022.061-010, 022.261-010, 022.281-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: All recent hires have a bachelor degree.

<u>Training:</u> Almost all firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with spreadsheet, word processing and database software skills.

Experience: Most firms usually require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 1 - 4 years experience as a Chemist.

Skills rated "very important":

Knowledge of health and safety procedures

Ability to work as a team member

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to operate laboratory equipment

Ability to concentrate and do detailed work

Ability to work independently

Ability to do research and analysis

Ability to solve technical problems

Oral communication skills

Computer literate

Ability to write technical reports

Knowledge of production and quality control

Knowledge of chromatography

Interpersonal skills

Ability to handle multiple tasks

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Senior Chemist, Analytical Chemist.

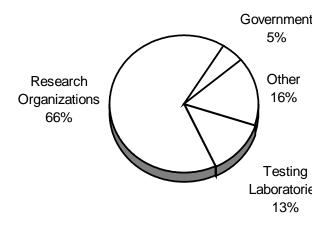
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

43% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately low, 6% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	73%
Vision Insurance:	47%
Life Insurance:	60%
Paid Sick Leave:	87%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	60%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, public school or program referrals, unsolicited applicants, Workforce Partnership / Career Center referrals, chemists societies.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Chemists

Experienced applicants: Competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> All responding employers indicated Chemists work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.75 - 19.00	\$13.75
New Hires, With Experience:	\$12.00 - 21.50	\$15.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$15.00 - 26.00	\$18.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 460

Separations to 2001: 290 *Total Openings: 750

New Job Growth Rate: 36.2%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 79

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

CHILD CARE WORKERS

OES 680380

Child Care Workers attend children at school, businesses and institutions performing a variety of tasks, such as dressing, feeding, bathing and overseeing play. Does not include workers whose primary function is to teach in a structured setting.

Alternate Job Titles: Child Care Providers, Instructional Aides / Teachers

Related DOT Codes: 355.674-010, 359.677-010, 359.677-018, 359.677-026,

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree). Some have an associate degree.

Training: Most firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years of child care training with a Child Care Certificate and pass a health screening, including a TB test. Employers assist applicants in obtaining a fingerprint clearance and child abuse index check through Department of Justice.

Experience: Many firms always require related work related experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years as a Child Care Worker or Teacher's Aide.

Skills rated "very important":

Patience with children
Ability to work under pressure
Possess a clean driving record
Ability to work independently
Ability to read and follow instructions
Training in early child development
Ability to handle crisis situations
Oral reading skills
CPR and first aid skills
Positive attitude
Ability to work as a team member
Behavioral training
Training for children with special needs
Management skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Teacher or Assistant Director with additional education.

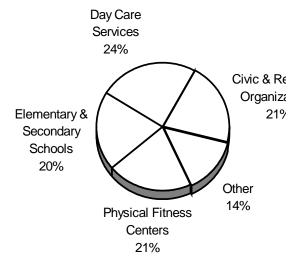
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

92% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 17% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	Full-Time
Medical Insurance:	80%
Dental Insurance:	53%
Vision Insurance:	27%
Life Insurance:	33%
Paid Sick Leave:	80%
Paid Vacation:	87%
Retirement Plan:	40%
Child Care:	67%

Other: Tuition reimbursement (full or partial)

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referral, unsolicited applicants, newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, public school or program referrals, private school referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	
A Little Difficult		X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Child Care Workers

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Child Care Workers work full-time, 40 hours per week. Some work part-time 21 hours per week, or on a temporary basis 14 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.00 - 9.50	\$6.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$6.00 - 12.00	\$7.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$6.50 - 15.00	\$9.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Medium

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 170

Separations to 2001: 120 *Total Openings: 290

New Job Growth Rate: 10.6%*. Projected growth is slower than

the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 80

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNICIANS AND TECHNOLOGISTS

OES 225020

Civil Engineering Technicians and Technologists apply the theory and principles of civil engineering in planning, designing and overseeing the construction and maintenance of structures and facilities, under the direction of engineering staff and physical scientists.

Alternate Job Titles: Junior Engineer, Associate Engineer, Design Engineer, Engineer in Training

Related DOT Codes: 005.261-014, 005.281-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a bachelor degree.

<u>Training:</u> Many firms usually allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with CAD drafting (Auto Cad, Micro Station), word processing and spreadsheet software skills.

Experience: Most firms sometimes require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 years as an intern, technician, assistant or associate engineer.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Problem solving skills

Ability to concentrate and do detailed work

Ability to operate a computer

Ability to read maps

Ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines

Ability to do precision work

Oral communication skills

Ability to draft working drawings

Ability to do research

Ability to estimate construction costs

Knowledge of construction and survey methods

Health and safety training

Advanced CAD training

Customer service

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Licensed Civil Engineer, Senior Designer.

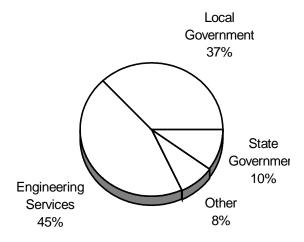
Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

24% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 12% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	71%
Vision Insurance:	47%
Life Insurance:	71%
Paid Sick Leave:	94%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	76%
Other: 401-K Plan, Profit	Sharing

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, public school or program referrals, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer, career fairs, engineering associations, internships.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Civil Engineering Technicians

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all Civil Engineering Technicians and Technologists work full-time, 42 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$9.00 - 17.75	\$13.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$12.00 - 18.50	\$15.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$14.00 - 21.75	\$17.75

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 120

Separations to 2001: 100
*Total Openings: 220

New Job Growth Rate: 15.4%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment:</u> Almost all responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years because of increased business and continued growth of the economy.

Employer Responses: 17 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 80

DENTAL HYGIENISTS

OES 329080

Dental Hygienists perform dental prophylactic treatments and instruct groups and individuals in the care of the teeth and mouth.

Alternate Job Titles: Registered Dental Hygienist, Board Certified Dental Hygienist

Related DOT Codes: 078.361-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a bachelor degree. A few have an associate degree.

<u>Training:</u> Many firms usually allow training to substitute for work related experience. Employers prefer applicants with 2 - 4 years of training and the required Dental Hygienist License from the State Board of Dental Examiners.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 1 - 2 years experience as a Dental Hygienist.

Skills rated "very important":

Possession of a State Dental Hygienist License
Oral communication skills
Knowledge of clinical procedures
Public contact and customer service skills
Radiation safety certificate
Ability to write legibly
Knowledge of anesthesiology
Ability to work independently
Record keeping skills
Ability to work on a team

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Dentist with additional education.

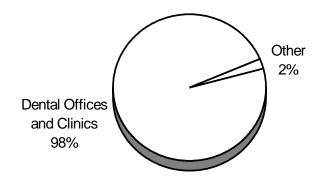
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

93% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 15% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	92%
Dental Insurance:	92%
Vision Insurance:	25%
Life Insurance:	33%
Paid Sick Leave:	67%
Paid Vacation:	75%
Retirement Plan:	25%
Other: 401-K Plan	

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants, employee referrals, other dental offices.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Dental Hygienists** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive** *Inexperienced* applicants: **Competitive**

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Many work part-time 20 hours per week. Some Dental Hygienists work full-time, 39 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range [*]	Median [*]
New Hires, No Experience:	\$25.00 - \$30.00	\$30.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$30.00 - \$32.00	\$30.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$30.00 - \$32.00	\$31.00

^{*} The wages above are typically paid on a per day basis according to industry trends.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 380

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 190 *Total Openings: 570

New Job Growth Rate: 27.0%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 80

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

ELECTRICAL and ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLERS

OES 939050

Electrical and Electronic Assemblers include assemblers who perform work at a level not requiring a high degree of precision. The occupation includes such occupations a Electronic Wirers, Armature Connectors, Electric Motor Winders, Skein Winders, Carbon Brush Assemblers, Battery and Battery Parts Assemblers, Electric Sign Assemblers and Electronic Subassemblers.

Alternate Job Titles: Electronics Solderer, Electronics Board Assemblers, Circuit Board Assembler

Related DOT Codes: 721.484-010, 726.261-010, 726.684-014, 726.684-018, 729.384-026, 729.684-022

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. A few have an associate degree or some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Some firms usually allow training to substitute for work related experience. Employers prefer applicants with 3 - 12 months training in soldering, electronics assembly or reading schematics.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 6 - 18 months experience as a solderer or electronics assembler.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to do precision work

Manual dexterity

Soldering skills

Ability to use hand tools

Ability to do repetitive work

Good eyesight and color vision

Knowledge of electrical specifications

Ability to work on a team

Oral communication skills

Ability to use measuring instruments

Ability to use testing equipment

Ability to concentrate for long periods of time

Ability to work with a microscope

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Lead Assembler, Supervisor, Quality Control Technician.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

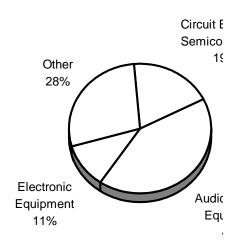
55% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 11% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry - Percent Employing



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	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	71%
Vision Insurance:	43%
Life Insurance:	57%
Paid Sick Leave:	71%
Paid Vacation:	79%
Retirement Plan:	50%
Other: 401-K Plan	

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referral, employment agency, in-house promotion or transfer, newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Electrical and Electronic Assemblers**

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Electrical and Electronic Assemblers work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.50 - 8.00	\$6.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$6.00 - 12.50	\$8.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$7.50 - 18.00	\$10.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 720

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 660 *Total Openings: 1,380

New Job Growth Rate: 19.1%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 81

EMPLOYMENT INTERVIEWERS - Private or Public Employment Service OES 215080

Employment Interviewers interview job applicants in an employment office and refer them to prospective employers for consideration. They record and evaluate various pertinent data, search application files, notify selected applicants of job openings, refer qualified applicants to prospective employers and contact employers to verify referral results and record data.

Alternate Job Titles: Staffing Specialist / Coordinator, Placement Specialist, Technical Recruiter, Case Manager

Related DOT Codes: 166.267-010, 205.362-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree). Some have a bachelor degree and a few have an associate degree.

<u>Training:</u> Most firms allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, database and spreadsheet software skills. Some employers provide in-house training.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work related experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years as recruiters, human resources specialist or customer service representatives.

Skills rated "very important":

Oral communication skills
Public contact skills
Ability to work under pressure
Interviewing skills
Ability to exercise tact in dealing with others
Customer service skills
Ability to evaluate employment skills
Ability to solve problems
Computer and Internet skills
Ability to write effectively
Record keeping skills
Training to service the disabled
Patience
Cultural diversity training
Organizational skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Supervisor, Sales Manager, Office / Branch Manager

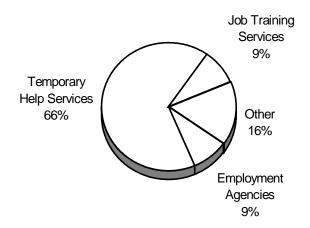
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

62% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 47% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing



	Full-Time	Part-Time
Medical Insurance:	100%	7%
Dental Insurance:	93%	7%
Vision Insurance:	60%	0%
Life Insurance:	87%	7%
Paid Sick Leave:	93%	7%
Paid Vacation:	100%	7%
Retirement Plan:	67%	7%
Child Care:	13%	7%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, newspaper advertisements, employee referral, unsolicited applicants, public school or program referrals, Employment Development Department.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Employment Interviewers** *Experienced* applicants: **Somewhat competitive** *Inexperienced* applicants: **Somewhat competitive**

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Employment Interviewers work full-time, 43 hours per week. Some work part-time 25 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.50 - 12.50	\$9.50
New Hires, With Experience:	\$8.00 - 14.50	\$11.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$10.00 - 16.75	\$12.75

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 190

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 90 *Total Openings: 280

New Job Growth Rate: 31.1%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training: No formal education / training program for this occupation.

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

FIRST LINE SUPERVISORS and MANAGERS/SUPERVISORS - PRODUCTION & OPERATING WORKERS OES 810080

First Line Supervisors and Managers/Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers directly supervise and coordinate activities of production and operating workers, such as testers, precision workers, machine setters and operators, assemblers, fabricators or plant and system operators. Managers/Supervisors are generally found in smaller establishments where they perform both supervisory and management functions such as accounting, marketing and personnel work. In addition they may also engage, in part, in the same production work as the workers they supervise. Does not include work leaders who spend 20% or more of their time at tasks similar to those of employees under their supervision.

Alternate Job Titles: Team Coaches, Group Leaders, Pre-press Production Supervisors

Related DOT Codes: 539.137-014, 699.130-010, 726.130-010, 806.131-042, 979.131-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have a bachelor degree. Few have either some college (but not necessarily a degree) or an associate degree.

Training: Almost all firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers usually train and promote from within the company after on-the-job training. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, spreadsheet, database, desktop publishing software skills.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 2 - 5 years experience as a manufacturing supervisor or manager.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Oral communication skills

Interpersonal skills

Ability to motivate employees

Organizational skills

Ability to plan and direct production activities

Ability to handle a variety of tasks

Knowledge of production methods and procedures

Ability to hire and train staff

Business math skills

Ability to establish quality control standards

Ability to coordinate activities with other departments

Ability to solve employee grievances

Ability to write reports

Knowledge of inventory control techniques

Ability to meet deadlines

Statistical analysis

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Plant Supervisor,

Plant Manager.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

32% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately low, 8% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry - Percent Employing

Aircraft Parts and Equipment

Clothing and Apparel Production

Electronic Component Production

Electronic Equipment Manufacturing

Industrial Equipment Manufacturing

Medical Instrument Manufacturing

Publications and Commercial Printing

Radio & Television Equipment

Ship Building and Repair

Sporting and Athletic Goods

Full-Time

Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	81%
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Paid Sick Leave: 94% Paid Vacation: 100%

Retirement Plan: 69%

Other: 401-K Plan, Profit Sharing, Stock Options,

Educational Reimbursement

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, newspaper advertisements, web site and internet.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Production Supervisor / Manager

Experienced applicants: Competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> All Production Supervisor / Managers work full-time, 43 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.50 - 20.25	\$14.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.00 - 26.25	\$15.25
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$11.00 - 32.25	\$17.50

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 420

Separations to 2001: 460 *Total Openings: 880

New Job Growth Rate: 14.1%*. Projected growth is about equal

to the county-wide average of 13.7%*
*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

<u>Education / Training:</u> No formal education or training program for this occupation.

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

GENERAL OFFICE CLERKS

OES 553470

General Office Clerks perform a wide variety of tasks. Clerical duties may be assigned in accordance with the office procedures of individual establishments and may include a combination of bookkeeping, typing, stenography, office machine operation and filing. Does not include workers whose duties are narrowly defined.

Alternate Job Titles: Office Clerks, Office Assistants

Related DOT Codes: 209.562-010, 219.362-010, 245.362-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent, or some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Most firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 year of training for a typing certificate and operation of office equipment. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, database and spreadsheet software skills.

Experience: Some firms sometimes require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with one year experience as a receptionist or clerical assistant.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Oral communication skills

Ability to operate office machines

English, grammar, spelling, punctuation skills

Problem solving skills

Alphabetic and numerical filing skills

Ability to work under pressure

Telephone answering skills

Public contact skills

Ability to do basic math

Computer and typing skills

Customer service skills

Ability to keep accurate notes and records

Ability to meet deadlines

Ability to work well with others

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Administrative Secretary, Senior Office Clerk / Specialist

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

87% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 31% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 13% of employers and 19% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Business Services

Civic and Social Organizations

Government Agencies

Hospitals & Medical Offices

Legal Services

Retail Stores

Schools and Colleges

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	94%
Dental Insurance:	94%
Vision Insurance:	69%
Life Insurance:	81%
Paid Sick Leave:	75%
Paid Vacation:	88%
Retirement Plan:	69%
Child Care:	6%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper Advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, employee referrals, unsolicited applicants, public school or program referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **General Office Clerks** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive** *Inexperienced* applicants: **Competitive**

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Many General Office Clerks work full-time, 40 hours per week. Some work part-time 25 hours per week or on a temporary basis 28 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range*	Median [*]
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.25 - 10.75	\$7.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$5.25 - 10.75	\$8.25
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$7.00 - 11.75	\$9.50

^{*}Includes union and non-union wages.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 1,760

Separations to 2001: 4,300 *Total Openings: 6,060

New Job Growth Rate: 7.0%*. Projected growth is slower than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 81

LEGAL SECRETARIES

OES 551020

Legal Secretaries prepare legal papers and correspondence of a legal nature, such as summonses, complaints, motions and subpoenas. They must be familiar with legal terminology, procedures and documents, as well as legal research and may review law journals and other legal publications to identify court decisions pertinent to pending cases and submit articles to company officials.

Alternate Job Titles: None

Related DOT Codes: 201.362-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree) or an associate degree.

Training: Many firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years legal secretarial training including word processing software skills.

Experience: Most firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years prior legal secretary experience.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to type 60 words per minute
Ability to use word processing software
Ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines
Ability to read and follow instructions
Oral communication skills
Telephone answering skills
Ability to follow law office procedures
Ability to maintain an appointment calendar
Interpersonal skills
Ability to operate a transcribing machine
Public contact and customer service skills
Ability to write legibly
Organizational skills
Flexibility
Internet or on-line research skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Paralegal with education.

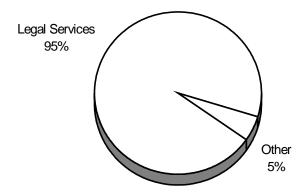
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

97% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 16% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes. 6% of employers surveyed and 3% of employees.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	89%
Dental Insurance:	72%
Vision Insurance:	44%
Life Insurance:	61%
Paid Sick Leave:	89%
Paid Vacation:	94%
Retirement Plan:	56%
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Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer, unsolicited applicants, employment agencies, trade publications or legal newspapers.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Legal Secretaries** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive**

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Legal Secretaries work full-time, 38 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range*	Median*
New Hires, No Experience:	\$7.00 - 17.25	\$13.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.00 - 21.75	\$14.75
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$14.00 - 24.25	\$17.25

^{*}Includes union and non-union wages.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Medium

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 370

Separations to 2001: 330
*Total Openings: 700

New Job Growth Rate: 14.5%*. Projected growth is about average when compared to the county-wide average of 13.7%*

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 18 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 83

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

MAINTENANCE REPAIRERS, GENERAL UTILITY

OES 851320

Maintenance Repairers perform work involving two or more maintenance skills to keep the machines, mechanical equipment and/or structure of an establishment in repair. This occupation is generally found in a small establishment where specialization in maintenance work is impractical. Their duties may involve pipefitting, boilermaking, insulating, welding, machining, machine and equipment repairing, carpentry and electrical work, as well as planning and laying out of work relating to repairs; repairing electrical and/or mechanical equipment; installing, aligning and balancing new equipment; and repairing buildings, floors or stairs.

Alternate Job Titles: Maintenance Workers, Maintenance Engineers

Related DOT Codes: 899.261-014, 899.381-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree). A few have a high school diploma or equivalent.

Training: Many employers never allow training to substitute for work-related experience.

Experience: Almost all firms usually require related work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 2 - 4 years prior experience as a maintenance repairer.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to lift 50 lbs.

Troubleshooting skills

Ability to work independently

Oral communication skills

Heating / air conditioning repair skills

Minor electrical repair skills

Minor plumbing skills

Minor carpentry skills

Minor painting skills

Ability to work on a team

Customer service skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Maintenance Lead or Supervisor.

Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

7% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 20% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes.

27% of employers surveyed were unionized. 42% of employees were unionized.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Amusement and Recreational Parks
Building Maintenance and Repair Services
Construction Contractors
Government Facilities
Hospitals
Hotels & Motels
Office Buildings and Industrial Parks
Schools and Colleges
Shopping Centers
Utility Companies

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	67%
Life Insurance:	80%
Paid Sick Leave:	80%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	27%

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Maintenance Repairers** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive**

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all General Utility Maintenance Repairers work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.50 - 12.25	\$8.00
Union:	\$5.75 - 12.00	\$8.50
New Hires, With Experience:	\$7.75 - 17.00	\$10.00
Union:	\$6.50 - 14.25	\$9.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$9.00 - 18.00	\$15.00
Union:	\$8.75 - 19.75	\$13.50

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 1,710

Separations to 2001: 1,510
*Total Openings: 3,220

New Job Growth Rate: 17.3%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 83

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

MEDICAL RECORDS TECHNICIANS

OES 329110

Medical Records Technicians compile and maintain medical records of hospital and clinic patients.

Alternate Job Titles: Medical Records Clerks

Related DOT Codes: 079.362-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: All recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent.

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 6 - 12 months of training in medical office procedures or medical records technology. Employers prefer applicants with word processing and database computer software skills.

Experience: Almost all firms sometimes require related work experience. They tend to hire applicants with 6 - 12 months as an office clerk, filing clerk or records clerk.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to concentrate and do accurate work

Ability to pay close attention to detail

Ability to handle confidentiality of records

Excellent alpha numeric filing skills

Oral communication skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to communicate with doctors and staff

Ability to write legibly

Data entry and retrieval skills

Ability to work independently

Ability to work under pressure

Computer skills

Organizational skills

Ability to work on a team and with others

Ability to move heavy file carts

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Receptionist

Administrative Assistant, Patient Services Representative.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

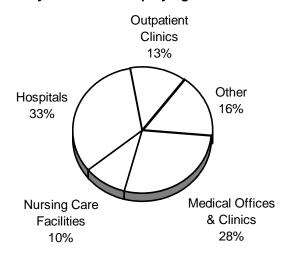
81% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 39% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes.

7% of employers surveyed were unionized 14% of employees were unionized

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	93%
Vision Insurance:	43%
Life Insurance:	93%
Paid Sick Leave:	93%
Paid Vacation:	86%
Retirement Plan:	71%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, unsolicited applicants, employee referral, newspaper advertisements, Employment Development Department, private school referrals, public school or program referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Medical Records Technicians

Experienced applicants: Competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Medical Records Technicians work full-time, 40 hours per week. Some work part-time 24 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range*	Median [*]
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.25 - 13.75	\$7.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$5.75 - 16.00	\$8.25
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$6.50 - 21.00	\$9.50

^{*} Includes union and non-union wages

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 170

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 90 *Total Openings: 260

New Job Growth Rate: 25.8%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 84

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

NURSE AIDES OES 660080

Nurse Aides work under the direction of nursing or medical staff to provide auxiliary services in the care of patients. They perform duties such as answering patients' call bells, serving and collecting food trays and feeding patients. Nurse Aides may be called Assistants, Attendants or Orderlies. Orderlies are primarily concerned with the care of male patients, setting up equipment and relieving nurses of heavier work. Does not include Psychiatric Aides and Home Health Aides.

Alternate Job Titles: Certified Nurse Aide, Nurse Attendant, Patient Care Giver

Related DOT Codes: 355.674-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. A few have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Many firms never allow training to substitute for work experience but require 12 months training to complete a Certified Nurse Assistant program. License and certification is obtained through Department of Health Services. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, spreadsheet and database software skills.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years experience as an Acute Care Giver, Nurse Assistant or Certified Nurse Assistant.

Skills rated "very important":

Observation skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Oral communication skills

Ability to take vital signs

Ability to write legibly

Ability to provide personal services to patients

Ability to lift and move patients

Ability to perform CPR

Knowledge of preventing infection (asepsis)

Record keeping skills

Nurses Aide Certification

Ability to handle crisis situations

Caring approach to patients

Dependability and reliability

Computer skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: with education, Medical Assistant, Licensed Vocational Nurse or Registered Nurse.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

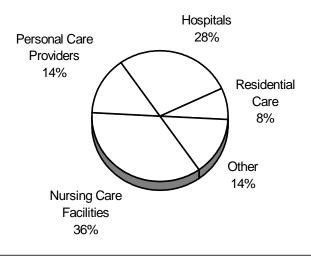
83% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 57% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 13% of employers and 14% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry - Percent Employing



	Full-Time	Part-Time
Medical Insurance:	100%	25%
Dental Insurance:	88%	25%
Vision Insurance:	81%	25%
Life Insurance:	81%	13%
Paid Sick Leave:	69%	25%
Paid Vacation:	100%	25%
Retirement Plan:	69%	25%
Other: 401 K Blen		

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Unsolicited applicants, newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer, public school or program referrals, private school referrals, Employment Development Department.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Nurse Aides

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Many Nurse Aides work full-time, 39 hours per week. Some work part-time 21 hours per week and a few work on a temporary basis 15 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range [*]	Median [*]
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.25 - 11.00	\$7.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$6.25 - 11.00	\$7.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$7.00 - 13.00	\$9.00

^{*} Includes union and non-union wages

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 990

Separations to 2001: 840
*Total Openings: 1,830

New Job Growth Rate: 12.7%*. Projected growth is about average when compared to the county-wide average of 13.7%*

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years because of increased patient load and expanding facilities.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 84

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

OPERATING ENGINEERS (Heavy Equipment Operators)

OES 979560

Operating Engineers operate several types of power construction equipment, such as compressors, pumps, hoists, derricks, cranes, shovels, tractors, scrapers, or motor graders to excavate, move and grade earth, erect structures, or pour concrete or other hard surface paving. They may repair and maintain equipment in addition to other duties. Does not include workers who specialize in operation of a single type of heavy equipment such as bulldozer or crane.

Alternate Job Titles: Equipment Operator, Heavy Equipment Operator

Related DOT Codes: 859.683-010, 859.683-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. Some have attended college (but not necessarily obtained a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Many firms allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 12 - 18 months apprenticeship training, (union or non-union) leading to certification as a Heavy Equipment Operator.

Experience: Most firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 3 years experience as Laborers, Graders, Shovel and Backhoe Operators.

Skills rated "very important":

Knowledge of safe operating procedures

Good eye-hand-foot coordination

Oral communication skills

Ability to judge distances

Good sense of balance

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to tolerate a noisy working environment

Mechanical aptitude

Knowledge of earth excavation techniques

Ability to withstand weather extremes

Ability to tolerate fumes and odors

Ability to repair engine and perform routine maintenance

Critical thinking

Operating computerized equipment

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Supervisor, Foreman

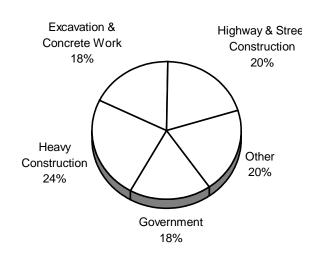
Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

5% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Very low, 4% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 31% of employers and 14% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	90%
Vision Insurance:	80%
Life Insurance:	40%
Paid Sick Leave:	10%
Paid Vacation:	90%
Retirement Plan:	70%
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Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Unsolicited applicants, employee referrals, newspaper advertisements.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Operating Engineers (Heavy Equipment Operators)

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Operating Engineers work full-time, 42 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range*	Median*
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.00 - 16.00	\$12.75
New Hires, With Experience:	\$12.00 - 22.50	\$16.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$16.00 - 33.00	\$20.00

^{*} Includes union and non-union wages

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 180

Separations to 2001: 150 *Total Openings: 330

New Job Growth Rate: 18.4%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years because of new construction contracts.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 84

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

PARALEGAL PERSONNEL

OES 283050

Paralegal Personnel assist lawyers by doing research in the preparation of lawsuits and/or legal documents as a career professional, usually having either a four-year college degree or a degree from an institute specializing in the paralegal profession. They may gather research data for use as evidence to formulate defense or to initiate legal action.

Alternate Job Titles: None

Related DOT Codes: 119.267-026

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have either a bachelor degree or an associate degree.

Training: Some firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years of paralegal training who have word processing, database and spreadsheet computer software skills.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 3 years prior experience as a paralegal.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions Ability to comprehend legal information Ability to use a computer Oral communication skills

Ability to work on a team

Knowledge of legal terminology

Knowledge of court proceedings

Ability to work independently

Problem solving skills

Record keeping skills

Certification as a Legal Assistant

Ability to write effectively

Willingness to work overtime and irregular hours

Interpersonal skills

On-line research skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Attorney with additional education and passing the Bar Exam.

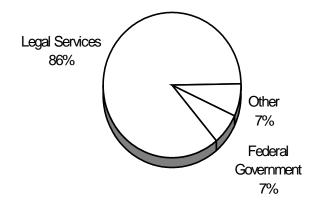
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

89% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately low, 8% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	75%
Vision Insurance:	56%
Life Insurance:	75%
Paid Sick Leave:	94%
Paid Vacation:	94%
Retirement Plan:	63%

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, private employment agencies, in-house promotion or transfer, Paralegal Association.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Paralegal Personnel** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive**

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Paralegal Personnel work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$9.00 - 15.50	\$13.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$12.75 - 20.50	\$15.75
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$15.00 - 24.00	\$19.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 130

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 50 *Total Openings: 180

New Job Growth Rate: 18.1%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment:</u> Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 84

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

PUBLIC RELATIONS MANAGERS

Sub part of OES 130110

Public Relations Managers plan, organize and direct public relations activities to create and maintain a favorable public image of an organization through development and communication of information designed to keep the public informed of employer's programs, accomplishments, or point of view. They prepare and distribute fact sheets, news releases, photographs, scripts, motion picture or tape recordings to media representatives and other persons interested in learning about or publicizing an employer's activities or message. They purchase advertising space and time, conduct public contact programs, promote good will through such publicity efforts as: public speeches, exhibits, films, tours and question / answer sessions. They may represent employer at public, social and business gatherings. They may direct the activities of subordinates.

Alternate Job Titles: Account Executive, Public Relations Specialist

Related DOT Codes: 163.117-022, 164.117-010, 164.167-010, 165.167-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a bachelor degree.

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years training as a journalist or experience from a public relations internship and having word processing, database, spreadsheet, desktop publishing and internet software skills.

Experience: Many firms sometimes require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years as an Account Executive or Public Relations Assistant.

Skills rated "very important":

Effective writing skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to maintain good customer relations

Oral communication skills

Ability to meet deadlines

Public speaking skills

Ability to supervise or manage multiple priorities

Ability to handle unexpected situations

Ability to develop and implement company marketing plan

Ability to direct promotion of special events

Customer service skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Account Executive, Supervisor.

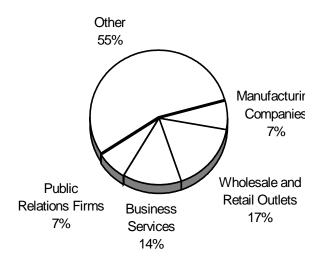
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

57% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 16% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	62%
Vision Insurance:	46%
Life Insurance:	54%
Paid Sick Leave:	77%
Paid Vacation:	85%
Retirement Plan:	38%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer, unsolicited applicants, professional organizations, job hotlines

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Public Relations Managers** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive**

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Public Relations Managers work full-time, 43 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.00 - 14.50	\$9.75
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.00 - 20.50	\$13.25
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$13.75 - 24.00	\$18.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 960

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 700 *Total Openings: 1,660

Openings for Public Relations Managers are included in the general classification of Marketing, Advertising and Public Relations Managers.

New Job Growth Rate: 21.3%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 85

REGISTERED NURSES

OES 325020

Registered Nurses administer nursing care to ill or injured persons. This group includes administrative, public health, industrial, private duty and surgical nurses. Licensing or registration is required. Does not include Nursing Instructors and Teachers.

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Alternate Job Titles: Clinical Nurse

Related DOT Codes: 075.124-010, 075.264-010, 075.364-010, 075.371-010,

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

<u>Education:</u> Most recent hires have an associate degree; some have a bachelor degree.

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 4 years training, a CPR Certificate and a license from the State Board of Registered Nursing.

Experience: Most firms always require related work experience. They prefer to hire applicants with 2 - 3 years nursing experience.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to handle crisis situations

Ability to work under pressure

Problem solving skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to take vital signs

Ability to provide personal services to patients

Documentation and record keeping skills

Ability to work on a team

Record keeping skills

Ability to move patients

Willingness to work nights, weekends and irregular hours

CPR and IV skills

Knowledge of infection control (asepsis)

Critical care and trauma skills

Knowledge of operating room technology

Ability to deal with pain and suffering

Basic computer skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Nurse Supervisor, Unit Director, Director of Nursing.

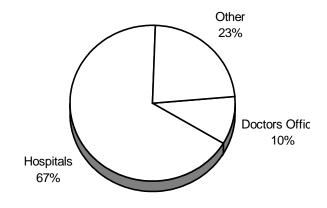
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

83% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Very low, 4% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 13% of employers and 40% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	Full-Time
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	93%
Vision Insurance:	79%
Life Insurance:	86%
Paid Sick Leave:	93%
Paid Vacation:	86%
Retirement Plan:	79%
Child Care:	7%

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants, employee referrals, in-house promotion or transfer, nurses registry, web site.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Registered Nurses

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Registered Nurses work full-time, 40 hours per week. Some work on a on-call basis 21 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$10.00 - 18.00	\$15.50
Union	\$15.00 - 16.00	\$15.50
New Hires, With Experience:	\$13.00 - 22.00	\$16.00
Union	\$16.75 - 17.00	\$17.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$16.00 - 32.00	\$20.00
Union	\$18.50 - 19.75	\$19.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 1,430

Separations to 2001: 1,550 *Total Openings: 2,980

New Job Growth Rate: 9.0%*. Projected growth is slower than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to remain stable and some expect to grow over the next three years because of the addition of new facilities.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 86

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

STOCK CLERKS - SALES FLOOR

OES 490210

Sales Floor Stock Clerks receive, store and issue merchandise on the sales floor; stock shelves, racks, cases, bins and tables with merchandise; arrange displays of items to attract customers and may periodically take physical count of stock or check and mark merchandise.

Alternate Job Titles: Stock Crew Clerks, Replenishment Clerks

Related DOT Codes: 299.367-014, 299.677-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. A few have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Most firms usually allow training to substitute for work experience and provide 1 - 3 months of on-the-job training.

Experience: Many firms never require related work experience. A few prefer applicants with 6 months previous experience as shipping and receiving clerks or cashiers.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions
Ability to stand for long periods of time
Customer service skills
Ability to stock shelves
Oral communication skills
Ability to work independently
Ability to lift 50 lbs.
Ability to write legibly
Basic math skills
Ability to work under pressure
Willingness to work with close supervision
Ability to bend, lift, squat
Knowledge of shipping and receiving
Organizational skills

Work well with others

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Cashier, Salesperson, Supervisor

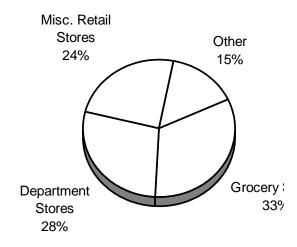
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

47% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 58% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	87%
Vision Insurance:	53%
Life Insurance:	80%
Paid Sick Leave:	93%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	53%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newpaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants, in-house promotion or transfer, public school or program referrals, Employment Development Department, corporate recruiting, job fairs, sign in store window.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Stock Clerks - Sales Floor** *Experienced* applicants: **Competitive** *Inexperienced* applicants: **Competitive**

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Stock Clerks - Sales Floor work full-time, 40 hours per week. Some work part-time 25 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range [*]	Median*
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.00 - 7.00	\$5.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$5.25 - 8.00	\$6.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$5.50 - 9.50	\$7.25

^{*}Data was collected prior to the minimum wage increase

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 440

Separations to 2001: 1,030 *Total Openings: 1,470

New Job Growth Rate: 6.1%*. Projected growth is slower than

the county-wide average of 13.7% * .

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 86

SURGICAL TECHNICIANS

OES 329280

Surgical Technicians assist the surgical team during surgical procedures and in the preparation for surgery. Under the direct supervision of a Registered Nurse they arrange sterile setups, count sponges, needles and instruments before and during surgery, check the operation of equipment and clean and restock the operating room. They may pass instruments and supplies to surgeons and may assist in transporting, positioning, prepping and draping patients for surgery. They may be known as surgical technologists. Does not include Surgical Assistants who perform such tasks as retracting tissue, suturing skin and suctioning blood during surgery.

Alternate Job Titles: Surgical Technologists, Operating Room Technicians

Related DOT Codes: 079.374-022

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 6 - 12 months training in operating room techniques and possess a Surgical Technician Certificate.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 12 - 15 months prior experience as a Surgical Technician or Licensed Vocational Nurse.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to follow oral technical instructions

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to work on a team

Knowledge of infection control (asepsis)

Knowledge of surgical instruments

Ability to sterilize surgical instruments

Ability to check surgical equipment for proper operation

Ability to interact with patients and hospital staff

Ability to handle crisis situations

Oral communication skills

Willingness to work nights, weekends and holidays

Ability to inventory surgical instruments

Knowledge of patient transferring techniques

Knowledge of anatomy and physiology and pharmacology

Ability to deal with trauma patients

Ability to troubleshoot and repair video equipment

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

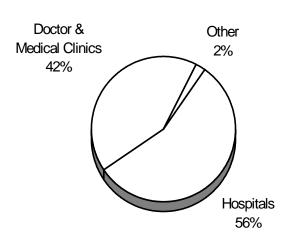
<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Registered Nurse with additional education

No. 46% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: High, 33% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	81%
Life Insurance:	100%
Paid Sick Leave:	94%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	88%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, unsolicited applicants, public schools or program referrals, newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, private school referrals, Employment Development Department.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Surgical Technicians

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Many Surgical Technicians work full-time, 42 hours per week. Some work on an on-call basis 23 hours per week. A few work part-time 20 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.50 - 12.75	\$10.50
New Hires, With Experience:	\$10.25 - 14.00	\$12.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$12.00 - 17.00	\$17.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 150

Separations to 2001: 50
*Total Openings: 200

New Job Growth Rate: 40.5%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 86

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

SYSTEMS ANALYSTS - ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING

OES 251020

Systems Analysts, Electronic Data Processing, analyze business, scientific and technical problems for application to electronic data processing systems. Does not include persons working primarily as engineers, mathematicians, programmers or scientists.

Alternate Job Titles: Programmer Analyst, Information Systems Analyst

Related DOT Codes: 030.167-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a bachelor degree.

Training: All reporting firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, spreadsheet, database and computer programming language skills.

Experience: Most firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 4 years experience as a Network Analyst, Programmer Analyst or Systems Analyst.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to work on a team

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to think logically

Ability to work independently

Oral communication skills

Knowledge of network systems

Ability to analyze computer operational procedures

Interpersonal skills

Ability to evaluate computer systems

Ability to identify data processing problems

Ability to develop new information systems

Knowledge of internet technology

Ability to do technical writing and analysis

Ability to prepare time and cost estimates

Customer service skills

Data management skills

Computer programming skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Senior Analyst,

Data Processing Manager.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

30% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately low, 9% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry -

Banks and Financial Institutions Computer Related Services

Data Processing Services

Engineering Services

Government

Hospitals

Manufacturing Companies

Research Institutions

Schools and Colleges

	<u>Full-I ime</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	93%
Life Insurance:	100%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%

Retirement Plan:

Other: 401-K Plan, Company Stock Options

93%

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, industry publications, Career Center Network, web site, internet.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		X
Somewhat Difficult	X	
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: System Analysts

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Little competition

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> All responding employers report System Analysts work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$11.50 - 24.00	\$16.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$13.00 - 26.25	\$17.75
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$14.00 - 31.25	\$20.50

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 2,210

Separations to 2001: 310
*Total Openings: 2,520

New Job Growth Rate: 52.5%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 86

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

TECHNICAL WRITERS

OES 340050

Technical Writers write or edit technical materials, such as equipment manuals, appendices and operating and maintenance instructions. They may oversee the preparation of illustrations, photographs, diagrams and charts and assist in layout work.

Alternate Job Titles: Documentation Specialists, Publications Specialists

Related DOT Codes: 131.267-026

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: All recent hires have a bachelor degree.

<u>Training:</u> Almost all firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, desktop publishing, spreadsheet, database, and graphics animation software skills.

Experience: Almost all firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 4 years experience as a technical writer.

Skills rated "very important":

Word processing skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Knowledge of good English and grammar

Ability to work independently

Ability to pay attention to detail

Ability to edit written material of others

Ability to interpret technical material

Ability to read and evaluate written material

Ability to layout materials for publication

Ability to interview others for information

Ability to read and understand catalogs and manuals

Willingness to work long hours

Ability to meet deadlines

Ability to work on a team

Interpersonal skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to; Senior Technical Writer, Supervisor

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

43% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 14% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry -

Computer Related Services
Engineering Services
Government
Help Supply Services
Hospitals
Manufacturing Companies
Research Institutions

Software Development Companies

	Full-Time
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	93%
Vision Insurance:	79%
Life Insurance:	86%
Paid Sick Leave:	93%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	86%
Other: 401-K Plan, Profit S	Sharing

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referral, Career Center Network, web page, internet.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Technical Writers

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> All responding employers indicate Technical Writers work full-time, 42 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$10.00 - 22.00	\$15.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$13.50 - 24.00	\$18.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$16.75 - 32.00	\$23.75

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 210

Separations to 2001: 150 *Total Openings: 360

New Job Growth Rate: 23.3%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 87

TRAVEL AGENTS OES 430210

Travel Agents plan entire trips for customers of their travel agency. Their duties include determining destinations, modes of transportation, travel dates, costs, accommodations required and planning, describing or selling itinerary package tours. Travel Agents may specialize in foreign or domestic service, individual or group travel, specific geographical area, airplane charters or package tours.

<u>Alternate Job Titles:</u> Leisure Travel Agent, Destinations Agent, Travel Consultant

Related DOT Codes: 252.152-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 3 - 6 months vocational training at a private school or ROP and word processing and database computer software skills.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 6 - 12 months experience in the hotel / motel, airline or tour industries.

Skills rated "very important":

Telephone answering skills

Public contact and customer service skills

Oral communication skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to use a computer

Ability to sit for long periods of time

Ability to work independently

Knowledge of Sabre / Apollo / World Span / System 1

Knowledge of geography

Record keeping skills

Ability to write legibly

Patience

Reliability

Interpersonal skills

Ability to handle stress

Positive attitude

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Tour Coordinator, Office Manager

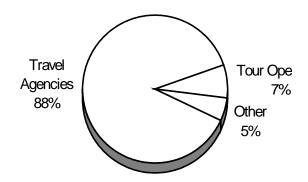
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

78% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 12% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	81%
Dental Insurance:	56%
Vision Insurance:	19%
Life Insurance:	31%
Paid Sick Leave:	94%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	13%
Child Care:	6%

Other: Travel Benefits

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, public school or program referrals, private school referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Travel Agents

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all Travel Agents work full-time, 40 hours per week. Few work part-time 21 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 9.00	\$6.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$7.00 - 11.50	\$9.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$8.00 - 15.00	\$11.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 190

Separations to 2001: 270 *Total Openings: 460

New Job Growth Rate: 13.5%*. Projected growth is about equal to the county-wide average is 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 87

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

WAITERS and WAITRESSES (Banquet Servers)

Sub part of OES 650080

Waiters and Waitresses serve food and / or beverages to patrons at tables. They usually take orders from patrons and make out the check. Their duties may include setting tables with linen and silverware and taking payment from patrons. They may serve customers at counters as well as at tables. Banquet Waiters and Waitresses serve meals and drinks to patrons attending group functions such as banquets, weddings, ceremonies and other special events. Does not include workers who only work at counters.

Alternate Job Titles: Formal Waiter / Waitress, Banquet Waiter / Waitress, Servers

Related DOT Codes: 311.137-014, 311.477-026

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent. A few have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers usually provide on-the-job training for employees and require a county food handling card.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 1 year as a Waiter / Waitress or food / beverage handler.

Skills rated "very important":

Possession of a county food handling card Public contact and customer service skills

Willingness to work nights, weekends and holidays

Ability to follow oral instructions

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to work on a team

Ability to get along with co-workers

Ability to work under pressure

Oral communication skills

Ability to stand for long periods of time

Customer service skills

Knowledge of wines

Ability to perform table side saute

Nice appearance and good grooming habits

Ability to lift 40lbs / carry heavy trays

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Banquet Manager, Server Captain, Party Manager

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

45% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Very low, 2% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes. 19% of employers and 60% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing

Caterers Hotels Upscale Restaurants

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	92%
Vision Insurance:	42%
Life Insurance:	67%
Paid Sick Leave:	58%
Paid Vacation:	83%
Retirement Plan:	42%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Waiters and Waitresses (Banquet Servers)

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Many Waiters / Waitresses (Banquet Servers) work part-time, 24 hours per week. Some work on a temporary basis, 10 hours per week and a few work full-time 37 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range [*]	Median*
New Hires, No Experience: Union:	\$5.00 - 25.50 \$7.00 - 16.50	\$13.00 \$15.25
New Hires, With Experience: Union:	\$6.50 - 26.00 \$7.00 - 21.50	\$14.00 \$17.25
After Three Years With the Firm: Union:	\$8.00 - 28.00 \$8.50 - 24.50	\$17.00 \$20.25

^{*} Combined base wage and estimated tips collected.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Very Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 3,550

Separations to 2001: 6,340 *Total Openings: 9,890

New Job Growth Rate: 21.4%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Openings for Banquet Waiters and Waitresses are included in the general classification of Waiters and Waitresses.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 87

WELDERS and CUTTERS

OES 939140

Welders and Cutters use flamecutting, hand, arc and gas welding equipment and gas torches to weld together metal components of such products as pipelines, automobiles, boilers and ships or join together components of fabricated sheet metal assemblies or cut, trim or scarf metal objects to dimensions as specified by layout, work orders or blueprints.

Alternate Job Titles: Arc Cutter, Arc Welder, Gas Welder, Welder Assembler, Shipfitters, Production Welders

Related DOT Codes: 810.384-010, 810.384-014. 810.664-010, 810.684-010, 811.684-014, 816.364-010,

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: All recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent.

<u>Training:</u> Most firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 6 - 12 months training and possess a welding certificate.

Experience: Most firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 4 - 5 years as a Pipefitter Helper, Machine Welder or Sheet Metal Worker.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to work independently

Ability to pass a work performance test

Ability to do arc welding

Ability to stand for long periods of time

Ability to work in awkward positions or confined spaces

Possession of a mechanical aptitude

Ability to read blueprints

Oral communication skills

Ability to do precision work

Ability to perform physically demanding tasks

Knowledge of lazer technology

Knowledge of welding of welding engineering

Operating computerized welding machines

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Lead Foreman, Supervisor

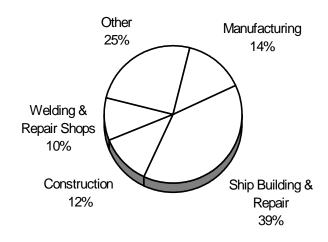
Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

7% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately high, 28% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 25% of employers and 92% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	79%
Vision Insurance:	57%
Life Insurance:	79%
Paid Sick Leave:	29%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	36%
Other: 401-K Plan, Profit S	haring,
Union Retirement Pl	an

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, union hall referrals, job fairs, Employment Development Department, public school referrals, in-house promotion or transfer.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Welders and Cutters

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: All responding employers indicate Welders and Cutters work full-time, 41 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience: Union:	\$5.50 - 15.00 \$7.25 - 12.00	\$7.00 \$10.00
New Hires, With Experience: Union:	\$8.00 - 20.00 \$11.00 - 13.25	\$12.00 \$12.50
After Three Years With the Firm: Union:	\$13.00 - 25.00 \$14.00 - 16.75	\$14.00 \$15.50

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Medium

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 430

Separations to 2001: 350 *Total Openings: 780

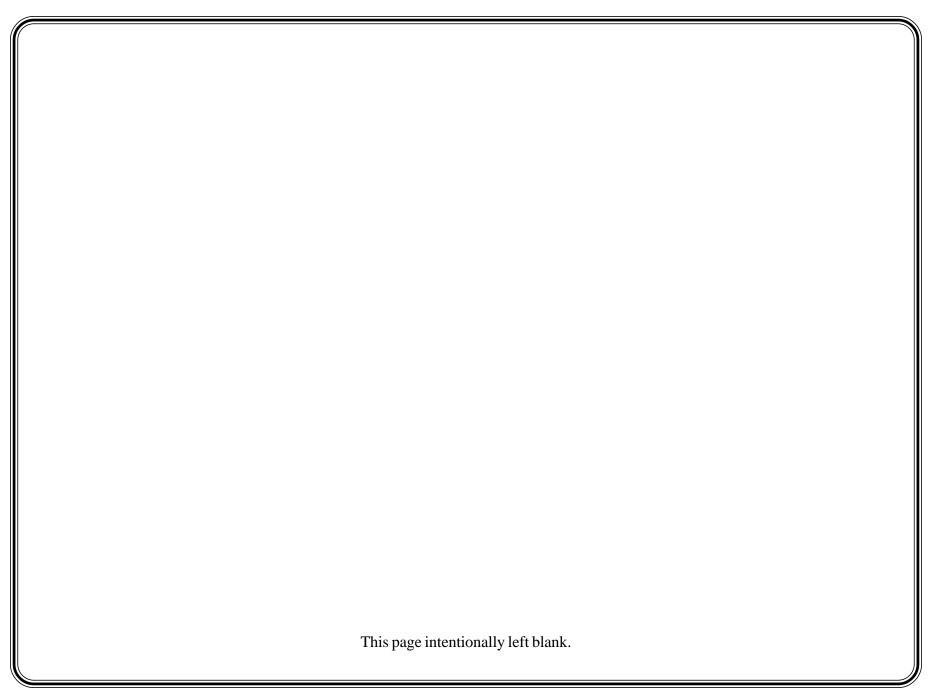
New Job Growth Rate: 22.2%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 88

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.



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ADDITIONAL OCCUPATIONAL PROFILES

AUTOMATED ASSEMBLYLINE TECHNICIANS

(No OES Code - Emerging Occupation)

Automated Assemblyline Technicians operate, program, maintain and repair automated machine tools and systems and automated manufacturing processes, including flexible manufacturing processes, Computerized Numerical Control Machines (CNC), robots and programmable logic controllers (PLC).

Alternate Job Titles: Production Specialists, Maintenance Technicians, Test Technicians, Electronic Technicians

Related DOT Codes: 609.360-010, 609.362-010, 630.281-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have an associate degree.

<u>Training:</u> Most firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants who have completed a 2 year associate degree program or finished a company on-the-job training program and have word processing and data base software skills.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 years experience as an Electronics Technician, Production or Equipment Technician.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to work on a team

Ability to understand and follow safety procedures

Ability to analyze and solve problems

Ability to follow written instructions

Manual dexterity

Interpersonal skills

Understanding of electronics systems

Ability to use hand tools

Ability to repair hydraulic and pneumatic systems

Knowledge of sensor feedback principles and systems

Shop math skills

Knowledge of programmable logic controls (PLCs)

Ability to use precision measuring equipment

Welding or soldering ability

Knowledge of CNC codes

Troubleshooting skills

Mechanical aptitude, good hand eye coordination

Electrical and electronic knowledge

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Lead Technician, Senior Technician.

Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

3% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately low, 9% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 7% of employers surveyed and 2% of employees.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Manufacturing Companies

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	93%
Dental Insurance:	93%
Vision Insurance:	80%
Life Insurance:	93%
Paid Sick Leave:	80%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	93%
Other: 401-K Plan, Profit Sl	haring,
Educational Reimbur	sement

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, newspaper advertisements, public school or program referrals, former military applicants, web page, employee referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Automated Assemblyline Technicians Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: All responding employers indicate Automated Assemblyline Technicians work full-time, 44 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range *	Median [*]
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.50 - 16.00	\$12.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$10.50 - 18.00	\$15.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$12.00 - 24.00	\$19.75

^{*}Union and nonunion wages included.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 220

Separations to 2001: 220 *Total Openings: 440

Openings for Automated Assembly Technicians are included in the general classification of Machinery Maintenance Mechanics, not elsewhere classified.

New Job Growth Rate: 20.0%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 78

BIOTECHNOLOGY LABORATORY ASSISTANTS

No OES Code - Emerging Occupation

Biotechnology Laboratory Assistants prepare solutions and perform laboratory procedures under the direction of a research assistant or scientist. They may be responsible for a wide variety of research laboratory tasks and experiments including: making detailed observations; analyzing data; interpreting results; writing experimental reports, summaries and protocols; trouble shooting and calibrating scientific instruments; maintaining production equipment; preparing glassware, reagents and culture media and care for research animals. They may be responsible for implementing analyses of raw materials in-process inspection and quality and control audits as well as the manufacture and packaging of products and the implemention of production procedures.

Alternate Job Titles: Laboratory Assistant, Research Assistant, Assistant Scientist

Related DOT Codes: 029.361-018, 559.361-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have either a bachelor degree or have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Many firms usually allow training to substitute for work experience. They prefer applicants with 12 months of academic lab training or internship and database and word processing software skills.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 6 - 24 months experience as a Lab Technician, Lab Assistant or Research Associate.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to maintain a clean working environment Ability to keep accurate records
Knowledge of safe laboratory work procedures
Ability to work on a team
Ability to pay attention to detail
Ability to follow written and oral instructions
Interpersonal skills
Problem solving skills
Knowledge of basic laboratory equipment
Organizational skills
Knowledge of personal protective gear
Ability to prepare media and make solutions
Data entry skills
Knowledge of inventory control techniques

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Group Leader, Assistant / Associate Scientist.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

50% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 15% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Biotechnology Research
Pharmaceutical Manufactuing

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	90%
Vision Insurance:	60%
Life Insurance:	90%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	90%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, public school or program referrals, local college campus recruitment, employee referrals, private employment agencies.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		X

Job Market for: Biotechnology Laboratory Assistants

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Very competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Most Biotechnology Laboratory Assistants work full-time, 41 hours per week. Some work part-time 20 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$5.75 - 12.50	\$8.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$7.00 - 15.00	\$9.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$8.00 - 19.25	\$11.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 120

Separations to 2001: 130
*Total Openings: 250

Openings for Biotechnology Laboratory Assistants are part of the above projections for Physical Life Science Technicians, not elsewhere classified, as well as for OES titles; Biological Food Technicians, Medical, Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Medical, Clinical Laboratory Assistants.

New Job Growth Rate: 18.6%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 12 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 78

GRAPHIC ARTISTS

No OES Code

Graphic Artists draw or paint illustrations for use by various media to explain or adorn printed or spoken word. They study layouts or sketches of proposed illustrations and related materials to become familiar with assignment. They determine style, technique and medium best suited to produce desired effects and conform with reproduction requirements. They formulate a concept and render illustration and detail from models, sketches, memory and imagination. May discuss illustrations at various stages of completion and make changes as necessary. May select type, draw lettering and lay out material. May draw or paint graphic material and lettering to be used for title, background, screen advertising, commercial logo and other visual layouts for motion picture production and television programming.

Alternate Job Titles: Illustrator, Production Artist, Presentation Specialist

Related DOT Codes: 195.107-010, 195.367-034

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have an bachelor degree. Some have an associate degree or some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Many firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 2 years training in graphic design and in desktop publishing software skills (Adobe Illustrator, Corel Draw, PageMaker, Photoshop, Quark Express) and word processing and graphic design.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 3 years experience as Graphic Designers, Graphic Technicians or Layout Artists.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to meet deadlines

Ability to work independently and on a team

Creativity

Oral communication skills

Customer service skills

Ability to use computer drawing software

Ability to do graphic design

Artistic skills: airbrushing, drawing, painting, paste up, photo editing

Good color vision

Knowledge of color separation

Photo retouching

Interactive design

Ability to do quality work

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Art Director, Design / Marketing Manager.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

59% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 16% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes. 5% of employers surveyed and 8% of employees.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Advertising Agencies
Cable and Television Broadcast Stations
Colleges and Universities
Commercial Art and Graphic Design Services
Commercial Printers
Manufacturing Companies
Newspaper, Book and Periodical Publishers
Web Site Design Companies

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	78%
Dental Insurance:	61%
Vision Insurance:	39%
Life Insurance:	56%
Paid Sick Leave:	67%
Paid Vacation:	94%
Retirement Plan:	50%
Other: 401-K Plan, Stock (Options

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, job hotline

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Graphic Artists

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all Graphic Artists work full-time, 41 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range [*]	Median*
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 14.75	\$10.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$8.00 - 17.25	\$11.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$10.00 - 22.00	\$13.00

^{*}Union and non-union wages included.

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 170

Separations to 2001: 110 *Total Openings: 280

Openings for Graphic Artists are included in the general classification of Artists and Related Workers.

New Job Growth Rate: 23.0%*. Projected growth is much faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 21 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 82

^{*7} year period 1994 through 2001.

IMPORT / EXPORT SPECIALISTS

No OES Code - Emerging Occupation

Import / Export Specialists examine and/or prepare documents such as invoices, bills of lading and shipping statements to verify conversion of merchandise weights or volumes into foreign equivalents. May compute duties, tariffs, weight, shipping storage and demurrage charges, volume and price conversions of merchandise to be exported or imported. May convert foreign currency figures into United States monetary equivalents or domestic currency into foreign equivalents using rate charts. May examine shipping manifest and bills of lading to determine procedures for release or acceptance of cargo. May also contact shippers (air, ground, or sea) to determine when cargo will be available for transit.

Alternate Job Titles: Customs Broker, Foreign Clerk, Customer Service Representative, International Sales Assistant / Manager

Related DOT Codes: 184.117-022, 186.117-018, 214.362-010, 214.137-010, 214.467-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Some recent hires have a high school diploma or equivalent or some college (but not necessarily a degree).

<u>Training:</u> Most firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants who have completed a college internship and have word processing, spreadsheet or database software skills.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years experience as an International Salesperson, Exporter or Customs Service Representative.

Skills rated "very important":

Knowledge of the internet

Ability to read and follow instructions
Oral communication skills
Record keeping skills
Ability to work independently
Ability to work under pressure
Knowledge of tariff and customs regulations
Ability to read and understand legal documents
Ability to use a computer
Familiar with shipping invoices and manifests
Negotiation skills
Bilingual ability
Knowledge of international trade
Sales and marketing skills
Organizational skills
Customer service skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Department Supervisor Sales / Marketing Manager.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

55% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately high, 21% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing

Commercial Freight Forwarders Customs Brokers Import / Export Brokers Manufacturing Companies

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	86%
Vision Insurance:	36%
Life Insurance:	64%
Paid Sick Leave:	86%
Paid Vacation:	93%
Retirement Plan:	57%

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, employee referral, newspaper advertisements, trade journals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Import / Export Specialist Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> All responding employers indicate Import / Export Specialists work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$7.25 - 12.50	\$10.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$8.00 - 13.50	\$11.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$10.00 - 15.00	\$14.50

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Not available OES Growth Projections: Not available

New Job Growth Rate: Not available

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 82

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

OES 223080

Landscape Architects plan and design land areas for such projects as parks and other recreational facilities, airports, highways, hospitals, schools, land subdivisions and commercial, industrial and other residential sites.

Alternate Job Titles: Landscape Planner, Project Landscape Architect, Project Manager

Related DOT Codes: 001.061-018

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: All recent hires have a bachelor degree.

Training: Most firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 2 years apprenticeship with experience on Autocad and Landcad software systems. Employers also look for word processing, spreadsheet, data base and desktop publishing software skills. Landscape Architects are required to be licensed and registered by the State Board of Landscape Architects.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 1 - 3 years experience as a Drafter, Land Planner or Landscape Designer.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to prepare detailed scale drawings

Ability to read and follow instructions

Oral communication skills

Ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines

Ability to work on a team

Ability to work independently

Interpersonal and customer service skills

Knowledge of plants, trees, shrubs and ground covers

Ability to use computer aided drafting systems (CAD)

Ability to prepare written reports

Basic math skills

Ability to analyze geographic and site conditions

Knowledge of drainage and irrigation systems

Knowledge of environmental regulations

Organizational skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Senior Landscape Architect, Associate Planner or Partner.

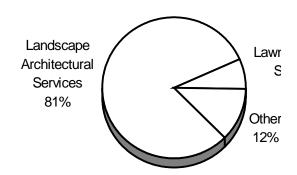
Nontraditional Occupation: No.

33% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 13% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE



FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	0%
Vision Insurance:	0%
Life Insurance:	20%
Paid Sick Leave:	80%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	60%

Other: Profit Sharing

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, industry organizations, newsletters, newspaper advertisements, public school or program referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Landscape Architect

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all Landscape Architects work full-time, 40 hours. A few work part-time 26 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$9.00 - 14.00	\$12.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$10.00 - 17.00	\$14.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$14.00 - 25.00	\$18.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 30

Separations to 2001: 40
*Total Openings: 70

New Job Growth Rate: 12.0%*. Projected growth is slower than

the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Most responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 13 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 82

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

OPHTHALMIC TECHNICIANS

A Sub Part of DOT 078.361-038

Ophthalmic Technicians test and measure eye function to assist Ophthalmologist to diagnose and treat eye disorders and disease: they test patient's far and/or near acuity, peripheral vision, depth perception and color perception to assist Ophthalmologist to diagnose and treat eye disorders and disease. Examine eye for abnormalities of cornea and anterior and posterior chambers. Apply drops to anesthetize, dilate or medicate eyes (glaucoma test). Measure axial length of eye. Perform other tests and measurements as requested by physician. They give instructions to patients concerning eye care. May supervise other technicians.

Alternate Job Titles: Ophthalmic Assistant, Certified Retinal Ophthalmic Technician

Related DOT Codes: 143.362-014

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Recent hires had either some college (but not necessarily a degree), an associate degree or a bachelor degree.

<u>Training:</u> Many firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 12 months of training and possess an Ophthalmic Technician Certificate.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 6 - 12 months as an Ophthalmic / Optometric Assistant or Ophthalmic Technician.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Oral communication skills

Ability to work independently

Ability to apply eye drops to patients

Ability to give eye care instructions to patients

Customer service and interpersonal skills

Ability to do precision work

Basic math skills

Ability to administer eye exams to patients

Knowledge of eye diseases

Knowledge of refractive techniques

Knowledge of refraction and visual field testing

Ability to work as a team member

Operating room skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Office Manager

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

85% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately high, 23% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Offices of Ophthalmologists Speciality Eye Surgery Clinics

FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	63%
Vision Insurance:	75%
Life Insurance:	38%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	38%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, employee referrals, industry newsletters.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	X
A Little Difficult		
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Ophthalmic Technicians** *Experienced* applicants: **Somewhat competitive**

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Most Ophthalmic Technicians work full-time, 40 hours per week and some work part-time 26 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 13.00	\$9.75
New Hires, With Experience:	\$8.00 - 15.00	\$12.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$10.50 - 18.00	\$15.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 700

<u>Separations to 2001:</u> 500 *Total Openings: 1,200

Openings for Ophthalmic Technicians are included in the general classification of Health Care Professionals and Para-Professionals not elsewhere classified.

New Job Growth Rate: 18.8%*. Projected growth is faster than the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Many responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 16 employers supplied data used in this analysis

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 84

PROBATION and PAROLE OFFICERS

Sub Part of DOT 195.107-046

Probation and Parole Officers counsel juvenile or adult offenders in activities related to legal conditions of probation or parole. Confer with offender, legal representatives, family and other concerned persons. Review legal documents of offender to conduct prehearing or presentencing investigations and rehabilitation plan. They compile reports, testify in court and make recommendations concerning conditional release or institutionalization of offenders. Informs offender or guardian of legal requirements of conditional release. They may counsel offender and family or guardian and may help offender secure education and employment. Refer offender to community resources for rehabilitation assistance. Evaluate offender's progress on follow-up visits to home, school and worksite.

Alternate Job Titles: Correctional Deputy Probation Officer

Related DOT Codes: None

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have an associate degree. Some have a bachelor degree.

<u>Training:</u> All reporting employers sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with word processing software skills.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. Employers prefer applicants with 2 years experience as a Correctional Counselor / Officer or Probation Officer.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read legal documents and enforce court orders

Ability to evaluate offender progress

Willingness to be on call 24 hours a day

Ability to plan ahead and meet deadlines

Customer service and interpersonal skills

Pass a physical abilities test

Ability to work independently

Oral communication skills

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to conduct investigations

Ability to interview others for information

Ability to give testimony in court

Knowledge of court procedures

Ability to write detailed reports

Knowledge of local social service agencies

Ability to give counsel to offender or family members

Age 21 and have California drivers license

Computer skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Senior Probation Officer, Probation Supervisor.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

45% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Very low, 3% in the past 12 months.

<u>Unionization:</u> Yes.100% of employers and 100% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry - Percent Employing

County Government State Government Federal Government

FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	50%
Vision Insurance:	50%
Life Insurance:	0%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	100%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, employee referrals, Employment Development Department, newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		X
A Little Difficult	X	
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: **Probation and Parole Officers**

Experienced applicants: Competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Somewhat Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: All Probation and Parole Officers work full-time, 40 hours per week.

Hourly Wages - Union	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$12.00 - 16.00	\$14.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$17.25 - 17.50	\$17.25
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$19.25 - 21.25	\$20.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 390

Separations to 2001: 410
*Total Openings: 800

Openings for Probation and Parole Officers are included in the general classification of Social Workers - - except medical and psychiatric.

New Job Growth Rate: 12.6%*. Projected growth is about equal to the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : All responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 2 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 85

STATIONARY ENGINEERS (Power Plant Operators)

OES 950320

Stationary Engineers operate and maintain stationary engines and mechanical equipment to provide utilities for buildings or industrial processes. They operate equipment such as steam engines, generators, motors, turbines and steam boilers.

Alternate Job Titles: Systems Operators, Auxiliary / Assistant Control Operators, Utility / Maintenance Engineers

Related DOT Codes: 950.131-030, 950.382-026, 950.382-030

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Almost all recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree).

Training: Most firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Some employers require applicants with HVAC Certification.

Experience: Almost all firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 3 - 5 years experience as a HVAC Engineer / Technician, Electrician or Plumber.

Skills rated "very important":

Knowledge of safe plant operating procedures

Ability to detect malfunctioning equipment

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to record and keep accurate records

Ability to work independently

Possession of a mechanical aptitude

Ability to use hand tools

Ability to make minor repairs and adjustments

Willingness to work nights, weekends and holidays

Good vision

Ability to lift 50 lbs.

Oral communication skills

Ability to read meters and gauges

Knowledge of heating and air conditioning systems

Ability to kneel, crawl, stoop, bend and climb

Minor plumbing skills

Clean police record - drug free workplace

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Senior / Chief

Engineer or Supervisor.

Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

1% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 12% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: Yes. 42% of employers and 75% of employees surveyed.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Colleges and Universities High Rise Buildings

Hospitals

Hotels

Recreational Theme Parks

FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	83%
Life Insurance:	83%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	92%
Other: 401-K Plan,	Union Paid Benefits

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

In-house promotion or transfer, employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, unsolicited applicants, Cable TV, Internet / Website.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Stationary Engineers (Power Plant Operators)

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Stationary Engineers work full-time, 41 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.25 - 13.00	\$10.00
Union:	\$9.50 - 16.00	\$14.00
New Hires, With Experience:	\$9.75 - 15.00	\$12.00
Union:	\$12.00 - 17.00	\$16.00
After Three Years With the Firm: Union:	\$11.50 - 17.50 \$15.50 - 24.00	\$16.00 \$20.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 10

Separations to 2001: 20 *Total Openings: 30

New Job Growth Rate: 6.7%*. Projected growth is slower than

the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Most responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 12 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

<u>Education / Training:</u> No formal education or training programs for this occupation.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE / CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY COUNSELORS

DOT 045.107-058

Substance Abuse Counselors counsel and aid individuals and families requiring assistance dealing with substance abuse problems such as alcohol or drug abuse. They interview clients, review records and confer with other professionals to evaluate condition of client. They formulate programs of treatment and rehabilitation of clients individually or in group sessions. Counsel family members to assist family in dealing with and providing support for client. Refer client to other support services as needed. Monitor condition of client to evaluate success of therapy and adapt treatment as needed. Prepare and maintain reports and case histories. May formulate and conduct programs to promote prevention of alchohol and drug abuse. May prepare documents for presentation in court.

Alternate Job Titles: Drug and Alcohol Counselor, Case Manager

Related DOT Codes: 195.107-010, 195.367-034

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Most recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree). A few have an associate degree.

Training: Many firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with a California Alcohol and Drug Counseling Certificate. They prefer those with word processing and data base software skills.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 3 years prior experience as a Substance Abuse Counselor. A few employers hire counselors who are reformed from prior drug or substance abuse.

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions
Counseling and case management skills
Knowledge of alcohol and drug abuse treatments
Oral and verbal presentation skills
Ability to work as a team member

Report writing skills Interpersonal skills

Observational and evaluation skills

Ability to work independently

Ability to interview others for information

Knowledge of prevention and treatment programs

Ability to develop a corrective action plan

Ability to be a role model and set goals

Ability to give job search assistance

Familiar with addictive disorders Ability to deal with ex-offenders

Knowledge of mental health & social service agencies

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Career Ladders:</u> Promote to: Supervisor, Program Coordinator, Program Director

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

46% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderately high, 27% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE Industry -

Community and Religious Organizations
Drug Treatment and Education Institutes
Drug Rehabilitation Services
Individual and Family Counseling Services
Social Service Agencies
Speciality Drug Clinics
Specialty Drug Rehabilitation Hospitals
Volunteer Organizations

FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Tim</u>
Medical Insurance:	94%
Dental Insurance:	76%
Vision Insurance:	47%
Life Insurance:	53%
Paid Sick Leave:	94%
Paid Vacation:	94%
Retirement Plan:	29%

Other: Room and Board

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, employee referrals, job postings, social service agencies, church referrals.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Substance Abuse Counselors

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

<u>Average Weekly Hours:</u> Almost all Substance Abuse Counselors work full-time, 40 hours per week. A few work part-time 22 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 14.50	\$10.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$7.00 - 16.75	\$11.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$9.00 - 20.00	\$13.75

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Large

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 390

Separations to 2001: 410
*Total Openings: 800

Openings for Substance Abuse Counselors are included in the general classification of Social Workers - - except medical and psychiatric.

New Job Growth Rate: 12.6%*. Projected growth is about equal to the county-wide average of 13.7%*.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 17 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 79

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

UNDERWRITERS OES 211020

Underwriters review individual applications for insurance to evaluate degree of risk involved and determine acceptance of applications.

Alternate Job Titles: Personal Line Underwriter

Related DOT Codes: 169.267-046

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Education: Many recent hires have some college (but not necessarily a degree). Some have a high school diploma or equivalent.

Training: Some firms sometimes allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with spreadsheet, word processing and database software skills. Some firms provide in-house training or Insurance Association training.

Experience: Many firms always require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 2 - 3 years underwriting experience

Skills rated "very important":

Ability to read and follow instructions

Ability to work independently

Ability to evaluate and classify persons for insurance

Ability to determine acceptable risk

Oral communication skills

Ability to read and understand insurance documents

Ability to make important judgements

Ability to analyze data

Business math skills

Ability to record and keep accurate records

Report writing skills

Ability to use a computer

Knowledge of underwriting software

Ability to work on a team

Negotiating skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Supervisor or Manager.

Nontraditional Occupation: No.

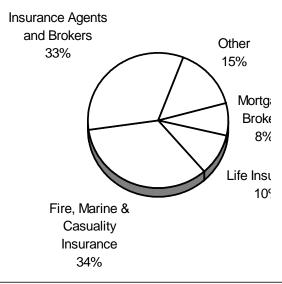
71% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 16% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry - Percent Employing



FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	100%
Dental Insurance:	100%
Vision Insurance:	62%
Life Insurance:	85%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	92%
Retirement Plan:	85%

Other: 401-K Plan

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, employee referrals, unsolicited applicants, private employment agencies.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult	X	
A Little Difficult		X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Underwriters

Experienced applicants: Somewhat competitive

Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Almost all Underwriters work full-time, 39 hours per week. A few work part-time 25 hours per week.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$6.00 - 16.00	\$11.25
New Hires, With Experience:	\$8.00 - 20.25	\$13.50
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$10.00 - 22.75	\$18.00

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: Small

OES Growth Projections: New jobs through 2001: 0

Separations to 2001: 90 *Total Openings: 90

New Job Growth Rate: 0.0%*. Stable growth.

*7 year period 1994 through 2001.

Employer Outlook on Employment : Many responding employers project employment to remain stable over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 14 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers : See Appendix A, page 87

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

WEBMASTERS / WEB SITE DESIGNERS

No OES Code - Emerging Occupation

Webmasters / Web Site Designers are responsible for managing the content and artistic design of an organization's internet web site and updating web site material. Web Site Designers use specialized software to design and create web pages for the Internet's World Wide Web. They develop innovative ways of using digitized multimedia elements to communicate messages of businesses, agencies, organizations etc. to customers, employees and / or the world at large.

Alternate Job Titles: Web Designers, Content Developers

Related DOT Codes: 030.162-010

EDUCATION, TRAINING, EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

<u>Education:</u> Many recent hires have a bachelor degree. Some have an associate degree.

Training: Most firms never allow training to substitute for work experience. Employers prefer applicants with word processing, desktop publishing, and database software skills. Some prefer training in computer graphics applications.

Experience: Many firms usually require related work experience. They prefer applicants with 6 months to 2 years experience as a Graphic Artist, Graphic Designer or Web Site Designer.

Skills rated "very important":

Knowledge of Windows and Macintosh platforms

Ability to work independently

Creativity

Ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines

Web site design and editing skills

Ability to design computer graphic images

Knowledge of: Photoshop, Quark Express, Adobe Illustrator

Interface design skills

Ability to create and edit hypertext markup

Knowledge of download time, bandwidth and internet browsers

Oral communication skills

Knowledge of cross platform issues

Knowledge of Java, PERL and VRML programming

HTML web design skills

Knowledge of internet protocols

Customer service skills

OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Career Ladders: Promote to: Production Manager

Nontraditional Occupation: Yes.

24% of workers in survey responses were female.

Turnover: Moderate, 18% in the past 12 months.

Unionization: No.

WHERE THE JOBS ARE

Industry -

Broadcast and Print Media
Colleges and Universities
Multi Media Companies
Public Realtions Firms
Web Site Development Companies

FRINGE BENEFITS, % of Employers Offering*

	<u>Full-Time</u>
Medical Insurance:	89%
Dental Insurance:	89%
Vision Insurance:	78%
Life Insurance:	89%
Paid Sick Leave:	100%
Paid Vacation:	100%
Retirement Plan:	56%

^{*}The percentage is based on the number of employers offering fringe benefits and responding to this question.

Most Frequently Used Recruitment Methods:

Employee referrals, newspaper advertisements, in-house promotion or transfer, internet web sites, "networking".

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Employers' Difficulty in Finding Qualified Applicants	Experienced Applicants	Inexperienced Applicants
Very Difficult		
Somewhat Difficult		
A Little Difficult	X	X
Not Difficult		

Job Market for: Webmasters

Experienced applicants: Competitive Inexperienced applicants: Competitive

HOURS AND WAGES

Average Weekly Hours: Most Web Masters work full-time, 42 hours per week. A few work on a temporary or on call basis 31 hours per week. Some work as independent contractors, consultants or through a temporary staffing agency.

Hourly Wages	Range	Median
New Hires, No Experience:	\$8.00 - 15.50	\$11.50
New Hires, With Experience:	\$10.00 - 20.75	\$15.00
After Three Years With the Firm:	\$14.00 - 28.50	\$19.25

OCCUPATIONAL SIZE AND GROWTH PROJECTIONS

Size of 1994 Employment: No data available **OES Growth Projections:** No data available

New Job Growth Rate: No data available

<u>Employer Outlook on Employment</u>: Almost all responding employers project employment to grow over the next three years.

Employer Responses: 15 employers supplied data used in this analysis.

Education / Training Providers: See Appendix A, page 86

APPENDIX A

SOURCES OF
EDUCATION AND TRAINING
FOR 1998 OCCUPATIONS

Sources of Education and Training for 1998 Occupational Outlook Report Occupations

Accountants

California State University, San Marcos

333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd. San Marcos, CA 92096 (760) 750-4000

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Kelsey Jenny College

201 A St. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 233-7418

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

National University

4141 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 563-7100

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd.

San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Park College

Joint Education Center, Bldg 1331, Rm 207 Camp Pendleton, CA 92055 (760) 725-6858

Point Loma Nazarene College

3900 Lomaland Dr. San Diego, CA 92106 (619) 221-2216

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

San Diego State University

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-6871

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

United States International University

10455 Pomerado Rd. San Diego, CA 92131 (619) 635-4772

University of Phoenix

3890 Murphy Canyon Rd. San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 576-7469

University of San Diego

5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 260-4506 ACCOUNTING COURSES

Becker CPA Review Courses of California

4656 Mission Gorge Pl. San Diego, CA 92120 (619) 286-3385

Chula Vista Adult School

1034 Fourth Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5760

Escondido Adult Education

3750 Mary Lane Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 739-7300

First Software Academy

9574 Lamar St. Spring Valley, CA 91977 (619) 464-2500

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Montgomery Adult School

3240 Palm Ave. San Diego, CA 92154 (619) 691-5670

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ACCOUNTING COURSES cont'd

National City Adult School

517 W. 24th St. National City, CA 91950 (619) 585-7818

Nordstrom Business Institute

4995 Murphy Canyon Rd. San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 279-7188

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Centre City

1440 Park Blvd. San Diego, CA 92101 (610) 230-2300

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Cesar Chavez Center

1960 National Blvd. San Diego, CA 92113 (619) 230-2895

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Mid City Center

5348 University Ave. San Diego, CA 92105 (619) 265-3455

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. North City Center

7405 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2545

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. West City Center

3249 Fordham St. San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 221-6973

San Diego State University, Extended Studies

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92181 (619) 594-5152

San Dieguito Adult Education

710 Encinitas Blvd. Encinitas, CA 92024 (760) 753-7073

United Education Institute

1323 Sixth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 544-9800

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

Valley Career College

876 Jackman St. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 593-5111

Vista Adult School

1234 Arcadia Ave. Vista, CA 92084 (760) 758-7122

Automated Assemblyline Technicians

Rands Systems Inc., Ocean Point Tech Center

5441 Avenida Encinas, Suite B Carlsbad, CA 92008 (760) 431-8355

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

Biotechnology Laboratory Assistants

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Carpenters

Center For Employment Training

3295 Market St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 233-6829 (760) 747-9115

Community Connection Resource Center

2144 El Cajon Blvd. San Diego, CA 92104 (619) 294-3900

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr.
San Diego, CA 92111
(619) 627-2600 cont'd
CARPENTERS cont'd

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92029 (760) 744-1150

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

San Dieguito Adult Education

710 Encinitas Blvd. Encinitas, CA 92024 (760) 753-7073

Vietnam Veterans of San Diego

4141 Pacific Highway San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 497-0142

Chemical Dependency Counselors

Chapman University

7460 Mission Valley Rd. San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 296-8660

Christian Heritage College

2100 Greenfield Dr. El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 440-3043

Griffin & Wong Institute for Education and Training

2870 Fourth Ave., #100 San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 294-9852

Huron International University

2801 Camino Del Rio South, Suite 201 San Diego, CA 92108 (691) 298-9040

National University

4141 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 563-7100

San Diego City College

1313 12th Ave. San Diego, CA 93101 (619) 230-2400

United States International University

10455 Pomerado Rd. San Diego, CA 92131 (619) 635-4772

University for Humanistic Studies

380 Stevens Ave., Suite 210 Solana Beach, CA 92075 (619) 259-9733

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

Western American University

3517 Camino Del Rio South, Suite 215 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 293-4663

Chemists

California State University, San Marcos

333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd. San Marcos, CA 92096 (760) 750-4000

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Point Loma Nazarene College

3900 Lomaland Dr. San Diego, CA 92106 (619) 221-2216

San Diego City College

1313 12th Ave. San Diego, CA 93101 (619) 230-2400

San Diego State University

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-6871

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CHEMISTS cont'd

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

University of California, San Diego

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-2230

University of San Diego

5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 260-4600

Child Care Workers

Chula Vista Adult School

1034 Fourth Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5760

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Montgomery Adult Education

3240 Palm Ave. San Diego, CA 92154 (619) 691-5670

National City Adult School

517 W. 24th St. National City, CA 91950 (619) 585-7818

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

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Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Educational Cultural Complex

4343 Ocean View Blvd. San Diego, CA 92113 (619) 527-5258

San Ysidro Center Adult School

4220 Otay Mesa Rd. San Ysidro, CA 92173 (619) 691-5667

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Union of Pan Asian Communities Training

1031 25th St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 232-6454

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

Civil Engineering Technicians

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Dental Hygienists

Chabot College

25555 Hesperian Blvd. Hayward, CA 94545 (510) 768-6715

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DENTAL HYGIENISTS cont'd

Cypress College

9200 Valley View St. Cypress, CA 90630 (714) 826-2220

Diablo Valley College

321 Golf Club Rd. Pleasant Hill, CA 94523 (510) 685-1310

Foothill College

12345 El Monte Ave. Los Altos Hills, CA 94022 (415) 949-7777

Fresno City College

1101 East University Ave. Fresno, CA 93741 (209) 442-4600

Loma Linda University

11234 Anderson

Loma Linda, CA 92354 (909) 796-3741

Monterey Peninsula College

980 Fremont St. Monterey, CA 93940 (408) 646-4000

Pacific Union College

1 Angwin Ave. Angwin, CA 94508 (707) 965-6311

Pasadena City College

1570 East Colorado Blvd. Pasadena, CA 91106 (818) 585-7241

Sacramento City College

3835 Freeport Blvd. Sacramento, CA 95822 (916) 558-2111

Taft College

29 Emmons Park Dr. Taft, CA 93268 (805) 763-4282

University of California, San Francisco

513 Parnassus Ave. San Francisco, CA 94143 (415) 476-2737

West Los Angeles College

4800 Freshman Dr. Culver City, CA 90230 (310) 287-4200

Electrical, Electronic Assemblers

Center For Employment Training

3295 Market St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 233-6829 (760) 747-9115

International Mutual Assistance Association

4102 El Cajon Blvd. San Diego, CA 92105 (619) 584-4018

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Educational Cultural Complex

4343 Ocean View Blvd. San Diego, CA 92113 (619) 527-5258

General Office Clerks

Able Disabled Advocacy

861 Sixth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 231-5990

Center For Employment Training

3295 Market St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 233-6829 (760) 747-9115

Coronado Adult Education

650 E. Ave. Coronado, CA 92118 (619) 522-8911

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

MAAC Career Center

140 West 16th St. National City, CA 91950 (619) 474-9474

Montgomery Adult School

3240 Palm Ave. San Diego, CA 92154 (619) 691-5670

Nordstrom Business Institute

4995 Murphy Canyon Rd. San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 279-7188

North County Interfaith Council

430 North Rose Escondido, CA 92027 (760) 489-6380 cont'd GENERAL OFFICE CLERKS cont'd

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

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Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Rehab West

1155 East Grand Ave. Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 480-4525

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

San Ysidro Center Adult School

4220 Otay Mesa Rd. San Ysidro, CA 93173 (619) 691-5667

United Education Institute

1323 Sixth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 544-9800

Vista Adult School

1234 Arcadia Ave. Vista, CA 92084 (760) 758-7122

Graphic Artists

Advertising Arts College

10025 Mesa Rim Rd. San Diego, CA 92121 (619) 546-0602

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Foundation College, San Diego

5353 Mission Center Rd., #100 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 683-3273

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Platt College, San Diego

6230 El Cajon Blvd. San Diego, CA 92115 (619) 265-0107

Point Loma Nazarene College

3900 Lomaland Dr. San Diego, CA 92106 (619) 221-2216

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San Diego City College
1313 12th Ave.
San Diego, CA 93101
(619) 230-2400

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

Import / Export Specialists

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, South County

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Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Landscape Architects

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

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Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Legal Secretaries

Chula Vista Adult School

1034 Fourth Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5760

Comprehensive Training Systems, Inc.

497 Eleventh St. Imperial Beach, CA 91932 (619) 424-6650 (619) 281-9133

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Kelsey Jenny College

201 A St. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 233-7418

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Montgomery Adult School

3240 Palm Ave. San Diego, CA 92154 (619) 691-5670

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

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Regional Occupational Program, South County

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Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Maintenance Repairers, General Utility

Center For Employment Training

3295 Market St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 233-6829 (760) 747-9115

Chula Vista Adult School

1034 Fourth Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5760

Comprehensive Training Systems, Inc.

497 Eleventh St. Imperial Beach, CA 91932 (619) 424-6650 (619) 281-9133

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Regional Occupational Program, North County

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Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Vietnam Veterans of San Diego

4141 Pacific Highway

San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 497-0142

Medical Records Technicians

Grossmont Health Occupations Center

9368 Oakbourne Rd Santee, CA 92071 (619) 579-4780

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Skill Centers of America Educational Institute

319 Rancho Santa Fe Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 736-2085

Nurse Aides

Academy of Nursing Assistants

6035 University Ave. San Diego, CA 92155 (619) 287-6802

Caldwell Nursing Academy

1945 West Vista Way, Suite D Vista, CA 92083 (760) 726 4385

Chula Vista Adult School

1034 Fourth Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5760

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Center 3702 Fourth Ave. San Diego, CA 92103 (619) 543-4707

Golden Hill Health Careers Academy

2469 Broadway San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 696-9992

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Grossmont Health Occupations Center

9368 Oakbourne Rd Santee, CA 92071 (619) 579-4780

Maric College of Medical Careers

3666 Kearny Villa Rd., Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 279-4500 (760) 630-1555

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

National City Adult School

517 W. 24th St. National City, CA 91950 (619) 585-7818

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed.

Mid City Center

5348 University Ave. San Diego, CA 92105 (619) 265-3455

San Ysidro Center Adult School

4220 Otay Mesa Rd. San Ysidro, CA 93173 (619) 691-5667

Valley Career College

876 Jackman St. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 593-5111

Operating Engineers

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Ophthalmic Technicians

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Paralegals

Chapman University

7460 Mission Valley Rd. San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 296-8660

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

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PARALEGALS cont'd

Kelsey Jenny College

201 A St. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 233-7418

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

San Diego State University, Extended Studies

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92181 (619) 594-5152

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

University of San Diego

5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 260-4506

Probation, Parole Officers

Chapman University

7460 Mission Valley Rd. San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 296-8660

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

San Diego State University

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-6871

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Public Relations Managers

California State University, San Marcos

333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd. San Marcos, CA 92096 (760) 750-4000

Christian Heritage College

2100 Greenfield Dr. El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 440-3043

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

National University

4141 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 563-7100

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Point Loma Nazarene College

3900 Lomaland Dr. San Diego, CA 92106 (619) 221-2216

San Diego State University

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-6871

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

United States International University

10455 Pomerado Rd. San Diego, CA 92131 (619) 635-4772

University of California, San Diego

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-2230

University of San Diego

5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 260-4506

Registered Nurses

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Maric College of Medical Careers

3666 Kearny Villa Rd., Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 279-4500

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Stock Clerks

Regional Occupational Program, East County 181 Fletcher Parkway

El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Surgical Technicians

Glendale Career College/Tri City Medical Center

4002 East Vista Way Vista, CA 92056 (760) 945-9896

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

System Analysts and Web Masters

California State University, San Marcos

333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd. San Marcos, CA 92096 (760) 750-4000

Chapman University

7460 Mission Valley Rd. San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 296-8660

Coleman College

7380 Parkway Dr. La Mesa, CA 91942 (619) 465-3990

Cuyamaca College

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019 (619) 670-1980

Elliott Computer Institute

3255 Wing St., Suite 101 San Diego, Ca 92110 (619) 226-4844

Foundation College, San Diego

5353 Mission Center Rd., #100 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 683-3273

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Miramar College

10440 Black Mountain Rd. San Diego, CA 92126 (619) 536-7800

National University

4141 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 563-7100

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Park College

Joint Education Center, Bldg 1331, Rm 207 Camp Pendleton, CA 92055 (760) 725-6858

San Diego City College

1313 Twelfth Ave. San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 230-2400

San Diego State University

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-6871

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SYSTEMS ANALYSTS & WEB MASTERS cont'd

San Diego State University Foundation Defense Conversion Center

5300 Campanile Dr. San Diego, CA 92182 (619) 594-4992

University of California, San Diego

9500 Gilman Dr. San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-2230

University of California, San Diego, Extension Program

9500 Gilman Dr.

San Diego, CA 92093 (619) 534-3400

University of Redlands

9040 Friars Rd., Suite 310 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 284-9292

University of San Diego

5998 Alcala Park San Diego, CA 92110 (619) 260-4506

Vortex Data Systems Inc.

7480 Mission Valley Rd., Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92108 (6190 497-6400

Webster University

6480 Weathers PI., Suite 104 San Diego, CA 92121 (619) 458-9310

Technical Writers

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Vortex Data Systems Inc.

7480 Mission Valley Rd., Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92108 (6190 497-6400

Travel Agents

Carlson Travel Academy

5405 Morehouse Dr., Suite 130 San Diego, CA 92121 (619) 458-2936

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

Mira Costa College

1 Barnard Dr.

Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 757-2121

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Rd. Chula Vista, CA 91910 (619) 421-6700

Travel Experts Training School

3110 Camino Del Rio South, Suite A-350 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 281-4333

Travel University International

3870 Murphy Canyon Rd., Suite 310 San Diego, Ca 92123 (619) 292-9755

Underwriters

A.D. Banker & Company

8775 Aero Dr., #138 San Diego, CA 92123 (800) 866-2468

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 465-1700

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Waiters/Waitresses

Able Disabled Advocacy

861 Sixth Ave. San Diego, Ca 92101 (619) 231-5990

Family Health Services

2850 Sixth Ave., Suite 408
San Diego, CA 92103
(619) 294-2192 cont'd
WAITERS & WAITRESSES cont'd

ITT Technical Institute

9680 Granite Ridge Dr. San Diego, CA 92123 (619) 571-8500

Mesa College

7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-2600

National Bartenders School

3160 Camino Del Rio South, #103 San Diego, CA 92108 (619) 283-0200

North County Interfaith Council

430 North Rose Escondido, CA 92027 (760) 489-6380

Project Employment Plus

4235 National Ave., Suite D San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 527-0457

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, Metro Area

6735 Gifford Way San Diego, CA 92111 (619) 627-7364

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Welders and Cutters

Center For Employment Training

3295 Market St. San Diego, CA 92102 (619) 233-6829 (760) 747-9115

Grossmont Adult Education

1100 Murray Dr. El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-4770

National City Adult School

517 W. 24th St. National City, CA 91950 (619) 585-7818

Palomar College

1140 West Mission Rd. San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 744-1150

Regional Occupational Program, East County

181 Fletcher Parkway El Cajon, CA 92020 (619) 579-8323

Regional Occupational Program, North County

840 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025 (760) 741-5558

Regional Occupational Program, South County

1355 Second Ave. Chula Vista, CA 91911 (619) 691-5611

San Diego Community College Cont. Ed. Educational Cultural Complex

4343 Ocean View Blvd. San Diego, CA 92113 (619) 527-5258

San Ysidro Center Adult School

4220 Otay Mesa Rd. San Ysidro, CA 93173 (619) 691-5667

APPENDIX B

SAN DIEGO COUNTY OCCUPATIONAL OUTLOOK

OCCUPATIONS AND WAGES 1990 - 1998

	Year Survey	y		
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Accountant and Auditor	1998	\$7.00 - 14.50 (10.00)	\$9.5- 24.00 (12.00)	\$13.00 - 33.50 (16.25)
Administrative Assistant	1996	\$6.00 - 14.75 (9.50)	\$6.00 - 14.75 (9.50)	\$9.00 - 18.00 (14.00)
Adult / Child Care Center Director	1996	\$6.00 - 15.25 (10.25)	\$7.00 - 19.25 (12.00)	\$8.00 - 21.50 (15.50)
Architects	1997	\$8.00 - 13.00 (11.00)	\$13.00 - 18.00 (15.00)	\$16.75 - 24.00 (20.25)
Assembler and Fabricator	1995	\$4.25 - 8.00 (5.00)	\$5.00 - 10.00 (5.50)	\$6.00 - 12.00 (7.50)
Auto Body Repairer	1997	\$5.00 - 12.00 (7.00)	\$9.00-15.25 (10.00)	\$13.00 - 25.00 (15.75)
Auto Mechanic	1997	\$6.50 - 12.00 (8.00)	\$9.00 - 18.00 (10.00)	\$13.00 - 22.00 (16.00)
Automated Assemblyline Technician	1998	\$8.50 - 16.00 (12.00)	\$10.50 - 18.00 (15.00)	\$12.00 - 24.00 (19.75)
Baggage Porter and Bellhop	1990	\$4.25 - 5.75 (4.25) Union (5.00) Base Wage + Tips	\$4.25 - 6.00 (4.25) Union (5.00) Base Wage + Tips	\$4.25 - 6.25 (4.25) Union (5.00) Base Wage + Tips
Bailiff	1991		(10.75)	(12.50)
Baker - Bread and Pastry	1995	\$4.50 - 8.00 (5.00) Union (6.75)	\$5.00- 10.00 (7.00) Union (8.00)	\$7.00 - 14.00 (8.00) Union (9.50)
Banquet Waiter / Waitress - Includes base wage and tips (Union) - Includes base wage and tips Bill and Account Collector	1998 1997	\$5.00 - 25.50 (13.00) \$7.00 - 16.50 (15.25) \$6.00- 11.00 (7.75)	\$6.50 - 26.00 (14.00) \$7.00 - 21.50 (17.25) \$8.50 - 13.00 (10.00)	\$8.00 - 28.00 (17.00) \$8.50 - 24.50 (20.25) \$10.00 - 15.00 (12.00)
Billing and Rate Clerk	1996	\$4.25 - 10.00 (7.00)	\$6.00 - 13.00 (8.50)	\$8.00 - 18.00 (12.00)
Billing, Posting and Calculating Machine Operator	1996	\$6.25 - 7.25 (7.25)	\$7.00 - 8.75 (7.50)	\$9.00 - 11.75 (10.00)
Biotechnology Laboratory Assistant	1998	\$5.75 - 12.75 (8.75)	\$7.00 - 15.00 (9.00)	\$8.00 - 19.25 (11.25)
Biotechnology Research Assistant	1994	\$8.75 - 13.00 (10.75)	\$10.75 - 14.50 (11.75)	\$11.75 - 17.00 (13.50)
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Bookkeeping, Accounting and Auditing Clerk	1994	\$7.00 - 9.25 (7.00)	\$7.00 - 19.00 (11.00)	\$10.00 - 19.00 (15.00)
Bus Driver - Non School	1995	\$4.25 - 10.00 (6.00) Union (8.50)	\$5.00 - 11.00 (7.00) Union (8.50)	\$7.00- 11.25 (8.00) Union (13.75)
Bus and Truck Mechanic	1995	\$5.50 - 12.00 (7.00) Union (9.00)	\$7.00 - 19.00 (11.00) Union (11.75)	\$10.00 - 19.00 (15.00) Union (14.25)
Butcher and Meat Cutter	1995	\$4.25 - 8.00 (5.00) Union (7.00)	\$5.00 - 16.00 (7.00) Union (16.00)	\$5.00 - 17.00 (7.00) Union (16.00)
Cabinetmaker	1997	\$5.00 - 7.00 (5.50)	\$5.50 - 11.00 (8.00)	\$7.75 - 19.00 (12.00)
Carpenter	1998	\$6.00 - 10.00 (7.25)	\$9.00 - 19.00 (11.50)	\$13.00 - 25.00 (16.50)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Carpet Installer	1995	\$5.00 - 8.00 (7.00)	\$8.00 - 16.50 (10.00)	\$11.00 - 20.00 (13.00)
Cashier	1996	\$4.25 - 11.00 (5.00) Union (10.75)	\$4.50 - 12.00 (6.00) Union (12.00)	\$5.00 - 16.00 (6.25) Union (15.25)
Ceiling Installer	1990	\$6.00 - 6.50 (6.00) Union (6.75)	\$6.00 - 12.00 (8.75) Union (12.00)	\$12.00 - 20.00 (18.00) Union (15.25)
Chemist - Except Biochemist	1998	\$8.75 - 19.00 (13.75)	\$12.00 - 21.50 (15.00)	\$15.00 - 26.00 (18.00)
Child Care Worker	1998	\$5.00 - 9.50 (6.25)	\$6.00 - 12.00 (7.00)	\$6.50 - 15.00 (9.00)
Civil Engineer	1996	\$14.50 - 21.75 (16.50)	\$17.00 - 24.00 (20.00)	\$20.00 - 28.75 (26.25)
Civil Engineering Technician / Technologist	1998	\$9.00 - 17.75 (13.00)	\$12.00 - 18.50 (15.00)	\$14.00 - 21.75 (17.75)
Compliance Officer and Enforcement Inspector	1996	\$10.00 - 17.00 (14.50) Union (15.75)	\$14.00 - 20.50 (20.00) Union(17.50)	\$17.00 - 25.00 (23.00) Union (19.50)
Computer Engineer	1996	\$11.50 - 19.25 (14.50)	\$14.00 - 24.00 (18.25)	\$16.25 - 28.75 (23.00)
Computer Operator	1994	\$9.00 - 11.75 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 15.00 (11.00)	\$11.75 - 18.00 (13.00)
Computer Programmer / Software Engineer	1994	\$11.25 - 16.25 (14.50)	\$14.50 - 23.25 (17.00)	\$19.50 - 34.25 (24.25)
Computer Technical Support Specialist	1994	\$9.25 - 14.50 (11.75	\$10.00 - 18.00 (12.75)	\$14.00 - 19.50 (15.50)
Construction Manager	1995	\$5.00 - 25.00 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 30.00 (15.00)	\$10.00 - 35.00 (17.00)
Cook, Cafeteria or Institution	1995	\$4.75 - 7.00 (\$6.00)	\$5.50 - 8.00 (\$7.00)	\$6.00 - 10.00 (8.00)
Cook, Restaurant	1994	\$4.50 - 7.50 (6.25)	\$5.00 - 9.00 (7.50)	\$7.00 - 12.00 (9.25)
Corrections Officer and Jailer	1996	\$7.50 - 12.00 (10.50) Union (10.50)	\$8.50 - 14.50 (11.50) Union (11.75)	\$9.50 - 17.75 (13.50) Union (14.50)
Cost Estimator	1997	\$9.50 - 16.75 (14.00)	\$15.00 - 19.25 (17.00)	\$19.25 - 30.00 (21.50)
Court Clerk	1996	\$8.25 - 17.50 (12.75) Union (12.75)	\$9.50 - 19.25 (15.75) Union (13.50)	\$11.00 - 25.75 (19.00) Union (15.50)
Counter and Rental Clerk	1994	\$4.25 - 7.50 (5.50)	\$4.25 - 8.50 (6.00)	\$5.50 - 12.00 (7.00)
Customer Service Representative, Utilities	1996	\$5.00 - 13.25 (9.25) Union (10.75)	\$8.75 - 15.50 (10.75) Union (11.25)	\$9.25 - 19.25 (13.00) Union (13.00)
Data Entry Keyer	1995	\$4.25 - 9.00 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 11.00 (7.50)	\$7.50 - 11.00 (8.00)
Data Processing Equipment Repairer	1997	\$6.00 - 10.00 (7.75)	\$9.00 - 13.75 (10.00)	\$11.00 - 20.00 (14.00)
Dental Assistant	1997	\$6.75 - 11.00 (9.00)	\$9.00 - 13.25 (11.00)	\$10.50 - 16.50 (13.75)
Dental Hygienist	1998	\$25.00 - 30.00 (30.00)	\$30.00 - 32.00 (30.50)	\$30.00 - 32.00 (31.00)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Dental Laboratory Technician (Precision)	1996	\$4.25 - 6.50 (5.00)	\$5.50 - 10.50 (8.25)	\$10.00 - 18.00 (15.00)
Detective and Investigator, Except Public	1991	\$6.00 - 14.75 (7.75)	\$7.25 - 15.00 (9.50)	\$8.50 - 18.00 (12.00)
Dispatcher, Except Police, Fire, Ambulance	1994	\$4.50 - 11.75 (7.25)	\$4.75 - 12.00 (8.00)	\$5.25 - 14.50 (14.00)
Dispatcher, Police, Fire,	1991	\$10.00 - 12.50 (11.00) Union (11.50)	\$11.25 - 13.50 13.00) Union (12.50)	\$11.25 - 20.00 (15.00) Union (15.25)
Drafter	1997	\$7.25 - 12.00 (9.00)	\$8.25 - 16.00 (12.00)	\$11.00 - 19.00 (14.75)
Driver, Sales Worker	1997	\$5.75 - 12.00 (7.50)	\$6.25 - 13.00 (8.00)	\$7.50 - 15.00 (9.25)
Duplicating Machine	1991	\$5.00 - 7.00 (5.75)	\$5.50 - 7.00 (6.25)	\$7.00 - 8.50 (7.25)
Electrical and Electronic Assembler	1998	\$5.50 - 8.00 (6.25)	\$6.00 - 12.50 (8.50)	\$7.50 - 18.00 (10.25)
Electrical and Electronic Engineer	1994	\$11.00 - 15.50 (13.25)	\$13.50 - 20.00 (17.00)	\$17.00 - 31.00 (20.75)
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technician	1994	\$8.50 - 12.00 (9.50)	\$9.50 - 13.50 (10.50)	\$11.00 - 16.75 (13.00)
Electrical Installer and Repairer, Transportation	1991	\$5.00 - 8.00 (6.75)	\$6.00 - 12.50 (10.00)	\$7.00 - 15.00 (12.25)
Electrician	1997	\$6.00 - 21.00 (8.00) Union (10.00)	\$10.00 - 23.00 (13.75) Union (15.00)	\$14.25 - 27.00 (19.50) Union (21.75)
Electromedical and Biomedical Equipment Repairers	1996	\$6.50 - 19.25 (10.50) Union (14.50)	\$8.00 - 20.75 (12.50) Union (17.50)	\$11.00 - 24.00 (16.00) Union (19.75)
Electronic Home Entertainment Repairer	1993	\$5.00 - 6.50 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 16.25 (9.00)	\$10.00 - 17.50 (12.00)
Elementary School Teacher	1995	\$11.00 - 14.00 (12.50)	\$13.25 - 17.50 (15.75)	\$13.00 - 18.00 (14.00)
Emergency Medical Technician	1996	\$5.50 - 7.00 (5.50) Union (6.75)	\$7.00 - 9.00 (7.00) Union (8.50)	\$9.75 - 12.00 (10.00) Union (12.00)
Employment Interviewer	1998	\$6.50 - 12.50 (9.50)	\$8.00 - 14.50 (11.00)	\$10.00 - 16.75 (12.75)
Environmental Engineer	1994		\$15.50 - 18.50 (17.50)	\$19.50 - 22.00 (21.25)
Event and Meeting Planner	1996	\$6.00 - 14.25 (9.50)	\$8.00 - 16.75(12.00)	\$10.00 - 24.00 (13.75)
Fiber Optic Technician	1997	\$7.00 - 15.00 (9.00)	\$9.00 - 20.00 (\$13.00)	\$12.00 - 25.00 (15.25)
File Clerk	1993	\$6.00 - 8.25 (6.75)	\$6.25 - 9.00 (\$7.00)	\$6.75 - 11.00 (8.50)
Financial Manager	1994	\$9.25 - 17.50 (13.50)	\$13.00 - 24.75 (19.50)	\$15.00 - 37.25 (26.50
Fire Fighter	1997	\$8.25 - 12.25 (9.75) Union (10.50)	\$9.25 - 13.25 (11.00) Union (11.25)	\$10.00 - 15.50 (12.50) Union (13.25)
Fitness Instructor	1994	\$6.25 - 10.00 (8.00)	\$6.75 - 12.00 (8.25)	\$8.00 - 24.00 (11.00)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Food Preparation Worker	1997	\$4.50 - 8.00 (5.25)	\$5.00 - 9.50 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 13.00 (9.50)
Food Service Manager	1994	\$7.25 - 13.25 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 19.50 (12.00)	\$12.00 - 24.25 (13.50)
Forklift Operator	1996	\$5.50 - 14.00 (7.00) Union 10.00)	\$7.00 - 14.75 (8.25) Union (12.25)	\$8.50 - 16.75 (14.25) Union (14.25)
Gardener and Groundskeeper	1995	\$5.00 - 6.00 (5.00) Union (10.75)	\$5.00 - 8.00 (6.00) Union (11.00)	\$6.00 - 15.00 (8.00) Union (13.00)
General Office Clerk	1998	\$5.25 - 10.75 (7.25)	\$5.25 - 10.75 (8.25)	\$7.00 - 11.75 (9.50)
Glazier	1995	\$5.00 - 12.00 (6.00)	\$10.00 - 22.00 (11.00)	\$11.00 - 22.00 (14.00)
Graphic Artist	1998	\$6.00 - 14.75 (10.00)	\$8.00 - 17.25 (11.50)	\$10.00 - 22.00 (13.00)
Hand Packers and Packager	1993	\$4.25 - 5.25 (5.00)	\$5.00 - 8.00 (6.00)	\$5.75 - 9.25 (7.50)
Hairdresser, Hairstylist and Cosmetologist With Commissions:	1994	\$4.75 - 6.00 (5.50) \$5.00 - 9.00 (6.50)	\$5.75 - 8.00 (7.00) \$7.75 - 12.50 (9.50)	\$7.50 - 10.00 (9.00) \$10.00 - 16.00 (13.50)
Hard Tile Setter	1990	\$5.00 - 15.00 (8.00)	\$8.00 - 18.00 (15.00)	\$12.00 - 25.00 (20.00)
Hazardous Waste Materials Handlers	1996	\$7.00 - 13.25 (9.50) Union (10.75)	\$9.50 - 17.75 (11.50) Union (11.75)	\$12.00 - 25.00 (13.50) Union (15.25)
Heating, Air Conditioning Mechanic	1997	\$6.50 - 18.00 (9.25) Union (11.00)	\$9.00 - 19.00(12.00) Union (15.00)	\$10.00 - 25.00 (16.00) Union (19.00)
Health Service Manager	1995	\$5.00 - 15.00 (8.00)	\$16.00 - 27.00 (10.00)	\$17.00 - 27.00 (12.00)
Home Appliance Repairer	1989	\$5.75 - 9.00 (7.25)	\$7.50 - 10.00 (9.00)	\$10.00 - 15.00 (12.50
Home Health Care Worker	1997	\$6.00 - 11.25 (7.00)	\$6.75 - 11.25 (8.00)	\$7.25 - 12.50 (9.00)
Host, Hostess	1993	\$4.25 - 6.25 (5.25)	\$4.25 - 8.00 (6.00)	\$4.75 - 9.00 (7.00)
Hotel Desk Clerk	1994	\$5.75 - 7.00 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 7.50 (6.75)	\$7.00 - 9.00 (7.50)
Import / Export Specialist	1998	\$7.25 - 12.50 (10.00)	\$8.00 - 13.50 (11.50)	\$10.00 - 15.00 (14.50)
Instructional Aide	1991	\$6.75 - 8.25 (7.50)	\$7.00 - 9.00 (8.00)	\$8.00 - 10.50 (8.50)
Instructor and Coach, Sports and Physical	1991	\$4.50 - 9.75 (7.00)	\$5.00 - 12.00 (7.75)	\$7.00 - 15.00 (10.00)
Insurance Adjuster	1997	\$10.00 - 21.50 (14.00)	\$12.50 - 24.00 (15.25)	\$15.25 - 28.75 (19.25)
Insurance Claims Clerk	1996	\$5.25 - 15.00 (9.25)	\$6.00 - 20.00 (11.00)	\$7.25 - 24.00 (13.75)
Insurance Policy Clerk	1989	\$6.00 - 8.00 (7.00)	\$7.75 - 12.00 (9.75)	\$8.50 - 15.00 (11.50)
Interior Designer	1995	\$5.00 - 15.00 (7.00)	\$5.00 - 20.00 (12.00)	\$5.00 - 31.25 (15.00)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Interview Clerk	1990	\$5.00 - 8.25 (7.00)	\$5.00 - 8.75 (7.25)	\$5.50 - 11.50 (9.25)
Janitor	1994	\$4.25 - 9.25 (5.00)	\$4.50 - 9.75 (5.50)	\$5.00 - 11.00 (7.00)
Kindergarten Teacher	1991	\$5.50 - 16.50 (11.50)	\$6.25 - 16.50 (12.25)	\$6.75 - 22.00 (13.50)
LAN / WAN Manager (Computer Network Manager)	1994	\$13.00 - 19.50 (14.50)	\$14.75 - 21.75 (17.00)	\$17.25 - 29.00 (21.00)
Landscape Architect	1998	\$9.00 - 14.00 (12.00)	\$10.00 - 17.00 (14.00)	\$14.00 - 25.00 (18.00)
Lather	1995	\$6.00 - 15.00 (6.00)	\$9.00 - 20.00 (15.00)	\$12.00 - 20.00 (17.00)
Laundry and Dry Cleaning Machine Operator	1993	\$4.25 - 6.00 (5.00)	\$4.25 - 7.00 (5.00)	\$5.25 - 11.00 (6.00)
Legal Secretary	1998	\$7.00 - 17.25 (13.25)	\$9.00 - 21.75 (14.75)	\$14.00 - 24.25 (17.25)
Licensed Vocational Nurse	1997	\$9.50 - 12.00 (10.00)	\$11.00 - 14.00 (12.00)	\$13.00 - 16.00 (14.00)
Loan and Credit Clerk	1995	\$5.00 - 9.50 (7.00)	\$7.00 - 12.50 (9.50)	\$9.00 - 15.75 (12.50)
Loan Officer	1997	\$9.00 - 24.00 (12.25)	\$10.50 - 28.75 (16.00)	\$10.50 - 33.50 (19.25)
Lodging Manager	1994	\$6.00 - 18.25 (8.75)	\$8.00 - 20.25 (15.00)	\$10.00 - 23.75 (18.25)
Machinist	1994	\$6.50 - 12.00 (8.75)	\$10.25 - 14.25 (12.00)	\$13.00 - 18.50 (16.25)
Manager, Personnel	1997	\$9.50 - 24.00 (13.50) Union (14.50)	\$12.00 - 26.25 (16.75) Union (16.75)	\$15.25 - 38.25 (20.50) Union (22.50)
Manager / Supervisor , Administrative Support	1993	\$6.50 - 14.00 (11.25)	\$9.00 - 23.75 (14.50)	\$11.00 - 29.00 (17.50)
Marketing , Advertising, Public Relations Manager	1995	\$6.00 - 26.00 (10.00)	\$8.00 - 30.00 (12.50)	\$10.00 - 30.00 (17.50)
Maid and Housekeeping Cleaner	1997	\$4.25 - 7.00 (5.75) Union (5.00)	\$4.75 - 7.75 (6.00) Union (5.75)	\$5.50 - 9.00 (7.00) Union (6.75)
Mail Clerk	1991	\$4.25 - 9.25 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 9.25 (7.25)	\$7.25 - 11.00 (7.75)
Mail Machine Operator	1991	\$4.25 - 6.00 (5.00)	\$5.50 - 7.75 (6.00)	\$7.00 - 10.00 (8.00)
Maintenance Repairers - General Utility	1998	\$6.50 - 12.25 (8.00) Union (8.50)	\$7.75 - 17.00 (10.00) Union (9.00)	\$9.00 - 18.00 (15.00) Union (13.50)
Marking Clerk	1991	\$4.25 - 6.00 (5.00)	\$4.25 - 6.50 (5.25)	\$6.00 - 8.75 (6.50)
Massage Therapist (Tips per massage)	1994	\$6.00 - 15.00 (10.00) (10.00)	\$8.00 - 25.00 (18.50) (10.00)	\$8.00 - 30.00 (25.00) (20.00)
Mechanical Engineer	1997	\$10.00 - 16.00 (14.50)	\$14.50 - 19.25 (16.00)	\$19.25 - 24.00 (21.50)
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologist	1997	\$9.00 - 15.00 (13.00)	\$10.00 - 18.25 (15.25)	\$12.00 - 22.00 (18.00)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Assistant	1993	\$7.00 - 9.50 (7.50)	\$7.00 - 10.00 (8.00)	\$8.00 - 13.00 (9.75)
Medical Assistant	1995	\$6.00 - 10.00 (7.00)	\$7.00 - 12.00 (8.00)	\$7.00 - 13.00 (8.00)
Medical Records Technician	1998	\$5.25 - 13.75 (7.25)	\$5.75 - 16.00 (8.25)	\$6.50 - 21.00 (9.50)
Medical Secretary	1994	\$6.75 - 10.00 (8.00)	\$8.00 - 11.00 (9.00)	\$10.00 - 13.00 (11.00)
Merchandise Displayer and Window Trimmer	1995	\$6.00 - 11.00 (7.00)	\$6.00 - 11.00 (9.00)	\$7.00 - 15.00 (10.00)
Messenger	1991	\$4.25 - 7.00 (6.25)	\$4.25 - 8.75 (7.00)	\$4.25 - 10.00 (8.25)
Meter Reader, Utilities	1991	\$6.50 - 13.00 (9.50) Union (11.50)	\$9.50 - 13.00 (10.00) Union (11.50)	\$10.75 - 16.25 (11.00) Union (13.75)
Multimedia Technology Specialist	1997	\$8.50 - 21.75 (11.25)	\$10.00 - 21.00 (14.75)	\$13.75 - 33.50 (19.25)
Network Professional	1997	\$12.00 - 21.75 (14.50)	\$12.00 - 24.00 (18.25)	\$16.50 - 26.50 (22.00)
Nurse Aide	1998	\$5.25 - 11.00 (7.00)	\$6.25 - 11.00 (7.50)	\$7.00 - 13.00 (9.00)
Nursery Worker	1993	\$4.25 - 5.00 (4.25)	\$4.25 - 5.50 (4.75)	\$4.75 - 7.50 (6.25)
Occupational Therapist	1994	\$16.50 - 26.50 (17.00)	\$18.25 - 30.25 (19.75)	\$19.50 - 37.50 (22.00)
Offset Lithographic Press Setter	1997	\$6.00 - 10.00 (8.00)	\$8.00 - 15.00 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 24.00 (15.00)
Operating Engineer (Heavy Equipment Operator)	1998	\$8.00 - 16.00 (12.75)	\$12.00 - 22.50 (16.00)	\$16.00 - 33.00 (20.00)
Ophthalmic Technician	1998	\$6.00 - 13.00 (9.75)	\$8.00 - 15.00 (12.00)	\$10.50 - 18.00 (15.00)
Optician	1996	\$4.25 - 7.75 (5.50)	\$8.25 - 15.50 (10.00)	\$12.50 - 22.00 (19.25)
Optical Technician	1995	\$5.00 - 7.50 (6.00	\$6.00 - 10.00 (7.00)	\$9.00 - 14.00 (9.00)
Order Clerk	1994	\$5.50 - 10.00 (8.25)	\$6.00 - 11.50 (9.00)	\$8.00 - 14.75 (11.50)
Paramedic	1996	\$8.50 - 9.00 (8.75)	\$10.00 - 11.00 (10.50)	\$14.25 - 14.50 (14.50)
Paralegal	1998	\$9.00 - 15.50 (13.00)	\$12.75 - 20.50 (15.75)	\$15.00 - 24.00 (19.00)
Painter	1996	\$5.00 - 9.00 (6.00)	\$8.00 - 16.00 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 24.00 (16.00)
Painter, Transportation Equipment	1991	\$4.25 - 9.25 (5.00) Union (6.25)	\$5.50 - 26.75 (8.50) Union (9.25)	\$8.00 - 26.75 (11.25) Union (11.75)
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerk	1995	\$5.00 - 10.00 (7.00)	\$5.75 - 11.25 (8.00)	\$7.50 - 12.50 (10.50)
Personnel Clerk	1996	\$6.50 - 12.50 (10.00)	\$7.50 - 15.25 (12.25)	\$8.00 - 18.00 (8.50)
Personnel, Training, Labor Relations Manager	1994	\$9.75 - 16.25 (10.75)	\$11.25 - 22.00 (13.75)	\$13.00 - 24.75 (14.25)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Pest Controller	1994	\$5.00 - 7.50 (6.50)	\$6.50 - 9.00 (7.50)	\$7.50 - 13.25 (9.25)
(With Commissions) Pharmacist	1992	\$5.00 - 8.50 (6.50) \$15.50 - 31.50 (24.00)	\$6.50 - 10.75 (8.00) \$15.50 - 31.50 (25.50)	\$8.50 - 17.50 (10.75) \$20.25 - 38.75 (30.00)
Pharmacy Technician	1996	\$8.00 - 11.75 (9.00)	\$8.75 - 12.25 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 14.75 (12.50)
Photo Processing Machine Operator	1993	\$4.25 - 8.00 (5.00)	\$5.00 - 8.50 (6.00)	\$6.00 - 11.00 (8.25)
Photographer	1996	\$5.00 - 15.00 (7.50)	\$6.00 - 20.00 (10.50)	\$6.50 - 30.00 (15.00)
Physical Therapist	1995	\$6.00 - 28.00 (16.00)	\$8.00 - 34.00 (18.50)	\$9.00 - 35.00 (22.00)
Physical Therapy Aide	1997	\$5.00 - 8.00 (6.50)	\$6.50 - 10.00 (7.00)	\$8.00 - 12.00 (8.25)
Physical Therapy Assistant	1997	\$8.00 - 17.00 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 20.00 (12.00)	\$11.00 - 22.00 (15.00)
Plumber, Pipefitter, and Steamfitter	1995	\$5.00 - 9.00 (6.00) Union (8.00)	\$10.00 - 17.00 (12.00) Union (12.75)	\$12.00 - 20.00 (15.00) Union (14.25)
Police Patrol Officer	1996	\$8.00 - 16.00 (12.50) Union (14.00)	\$9.00 - 18.25 (14.00) Union (16.75)	\$10.00 - 21.50 (15.50) Union (20.00)
Postal Mail Carrier	1997	(12.75)	(13.50)	(14.25)
Preschool Teacher	1995	\$5.00 - 12.00 (14.00)	\$10.00 - 24.00 (15.25)	11.00 - 27.75 (17.50)
Probation and Parole Officer	1998	\$12.00 - 16.00 (14.00)	\$17.25 - 17.50 (17.25)	\$19.25 - 21.25 (20.25)
Production Supervisor / Manager	1998	\$8.50 - 20.25 (14.00)	\$9.50 - 26.25 (15.25)	\$11.00 - 32.25 (17.50)
Property and Real Estate Manager (on-site)	1995	\$7.00 - 15.00 (10.00)	\$8.00 - 21.25 (12.50)	\$10.00 - 32.25 (15.00)
Psychiatric Aide	1993	\$6.00 - 9.50 (7.25)	\$7.25 - 11.00 \$8.25)	\$7.50 - 13.00 (9.50)
Public Relations Manager	1998	\$8.00 - 14.50 (9.75)	\$9.00 - 20.50 (13.25)	\$13.75 - 24.00 (18.00)
Purchasing Agent	1995	\$7.00 - 13.00 (9.00)	\$8.00 - 16.00 (13.50)	\$12.00 - 20.00 (14.00)
Purchasing Manager	1993	\$8.00 - 26.75 (11.75)	\$11.00 - 29.00 (15.00)	\$13.00 - 32.25 (17.50)
Radiologic Technologist (Therapeutic)	1994	\$14.50 - 17.00 (15.75)	\$15.50 - 19.00 (17.00)	\$17.00 - 21.00 (20.00)
Receptionist and Information Clerk	1997	\$5.50 - 9.00 (6.50)	\$6.50 - 10.50 (7.50)	\$8.00 - 12.00 (9.00)
Recreation Worker	1994	\$4.50 - 6.50 (5.00)	\$5.50 - 9.50 (6.75)	\$6.50 - 14.00 (8.75)
Registered Nurse (Union)	1998	\$10.00 - 18.00 (15.50) \$15.00 - 16.00 (15.50)	\$13.00 - 22.00 (16.00) \$16.75 - 17.00 (17.00)	\$16.00 - 32.00 (20.00) \$18.50 - 19.75 (19.25)
Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agent	1991	\$5.00 - 9.50 (6.50) Union (8.25)	\$5.75 - 9.50 (6.75) Union (8.25)	\$7.50 - 9.25 (8.75) Union (9.25)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Respiratory Care Practitioner	1993	\$10.75 - 14.00 (12.00)	\$12.25 - 16.50 (14.00)	\$13.00 - 18.25 (16.00)
Retail Store Manager	1997	\$7.00 - 12.25 (8.50)	\$8.50 - 12.25 (10.00)	\$10.00 - 14.00 (12.00)
Roofer	1995	\$6.00 - 10.00 (6.50) Union (7.00)	\$7.00 - 18.00 (11.00) Union (8.50)	\$10.00 - 18.00 (13.00) Union (13.00)
Sales Agent, Advertising	1995	\$5.00 - 20.00 (8.00) Commissions (2.00)	\$7.25 - 20.00 (12.50) Commissions (5.75)	\$9.00 - 30.00 (27.50) Commissions (10.00)
Sales Agents and Placers, Insurance	1996	\$9.50-15.50 (13.50) includes tips and commissions	\$11.75-28.75 (18.25) includes tips and commissions	\$15.00-48.00 (33.50) includes tips and commissions
Sales Agent, Select Business Services	1995	\$5.00 - 15.00 (9.00) Commissions (4.00)	\$8.00 - 25.00 (12.50) Commissions (7.50)	\$11.00 - 37.50 (17.00) Commissions (9.75)
Salesperson, Parts	1994	\$5.00 - 9.00 (7.00)	\$7.50 - 14.00 (9.25)	\$10.75 - 17.00 (14.50)
Salesperson, Retail	1996	\$4.25 - 7.00 (5.00) Commission (7.00)	\$5.50 - 8.00 (7.00) Commission (10.00)	\$7.00 - 13.00 (12.00) Commission (12.00)
Sales Representative	1994	\$9.00 - 13.00 (11.75)	\$10.00 - 18.00 (13.00)	\$11.00 - 28.50 (19.50)
Sales Representative, Scientific	1995	\$5.00 - 14.00 (7.50)	\$5.00 - 22.00 (12.00)	\$5.00 - 31.25 (20.00)
Secondary School Teacher	1995	\$10.00 - 13.50 (12.50)	\$13.50 - 17.00 (15.00)	\$13.50 - 17.00 (15.50)
Sales Supervisors / Managers (With Commissions) Secretary, General	1996 1994	\$7.25 - 22.00 (10.25) \$7.00 - 28.75 (19.50) \$6.00 - 9.75 (8.00	\$9.50 - 27.75 (12.00) \$9.50 - 48.00 (19.50) \$7.00 - 12.00 (8.75)	\$12.00 - 33.25 (16.75) \$12.00 - 72.00 (30.75) \$9.00 - 14.50 (10.50)
Security Guard	1995	\$5.00 - 7.50 (6.00)	\$5.00 - 7.50 (6.00)	\$6.50 - 8.50 (7.00)
Service Station	1991	\$4.25 - 6.00 (4.50)	\$4.25 - 7.00 (5.00)	\$5.25 - 11.75 (6.00)
Sheet Metal Worker	1995	\$5.00 - 10.00 (6.00)	\$8.00 - 13.00 (10.00)	\$9.00 - 16.00 (13.00)
Sheriff and Deputy Sheriff	1991	(\$13.00)	(\$14.50)	(\$15.25)
Social Service Technician	1992	\$7.25 - 11.25 (8.75)	\$8.50 - 11.75 (8.75)	\$11.50 - 15.50 (11.75)
Social Worker	1992	\$6.00 - 11.00 (8.25)	\$6.25 - 15.50 (11.00)	\$7.25 - 19.75 (13.00)
Special Education Teacher	1996	\$8.75 - 17.25 (10.50) Union (13.25)	\$10.50 - 20.25 (12.50) Union (16.00)	\$14.00 - 23.25 (15.50) Union (17.50)
Stationary Engineer (Power Plant Operator) (Union)	1998	\$8.25 - 13.00 (10.00) \$9.50 - 16.00 (14.00)	\$9.75 - 15.00 (12.00) \$12.00 - 17.00 (16.00)	\$11.50 - 17.50 (16.00) \$15.50 - 24.00 (20.00)
Statistical Clerk	1991	\$8.50 - 19.00 (9.00)	\$9.50 - 22.00 (11.75)	\$11.50 - 25.00 (13.00)
Stenographer	1990	\$4.50 - 14.50 (6.50)	\$5.00 - 14.50 (9.75)	\$5.50 - 15.50 (11.75)

	Year Survey			
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Stock Clerk, Sales Floor	1998	\$5.00 - 7.00 (5.25)	\$5.25 - 8.00 (6.00)	\$5.50 - 9.50 (7.25)
Stock Clerk, Stock Room or Warehouse	1994	\$4.50 - 7.00 (5.50)	\$4.75 - 8.75 (5.75)	\$5.75 - 11.00 (6.50)
Substance Abuse / Chemical Dependency Counselor	1998	\$6.00 - 14.50 (10.25)	\$7.00 - 16.75 (11.50)	\$9.00 - 20.00 (13.75)
Surgical Technician	1998	\$8.50 - 12.75 (10.50)	\$10.25 - 14.00 (12.00)	\$12.00 - 17.00 (14.00)
Switchboard Operator	1995	\$4.25 - 7.50 (6.25)	\$5.00 - 8.50 (6.25)	\$6.00 - 9.25 (7.75)
System Analyst - Electronic Data Processing	1998	\$11.50 - 24.00 (16.25)	\$13.00 - 26.25 (17.75)	\$14.00 - 31.25 (20.50)
Tax Interviewer	1996	\$6.00 - 11.00 (7.50)	\$7.00 - 20.50 (9.00)	\$10.00 - 20.00 (14.00)
Technical Writer	1998	\$10.00 - 22.00 (15.00)	\$13.50 - 24.00 (18.00)	\$16.75 - 32.00 (23.75)
Telecommunications Engineer	1997	\$15.25 - 19.25 (16.75)	\$19.25 - 31.25 (20.75)	\$23.75 - 37.00 (26.25)
Teller	1995	\$6.00 - 7.25 (7.00)	\$7.00 - 9.00 (8.00)	\$7.00 - 9.00 (8.00)
Telemarketer and Telephone Solicitor (With Commissions:)	1996	\$5.00 - 8.00 (6.00) \$5.00 - 10.00 (6.50)	\$6.00 - 10.00 (7.00) \$6.00 - 12.75 (9.50)	\$6.75 - 15.00 (9.00) \$7.00 - 27.75 (20.00)
Tire Repairer and Changer	1991	\$4.25 - 6.00 (5.00)	\$4.25 - 10.75 (6.75)	\$4.25 - 12.00 (8.00)
Title Searcher	1990	\$5.00 - 9.25 (5.75)	\$7.00 - 11.50 (10.00)	\$9.25 - 14.00 (11.00)
Traffic, Shipping, and Receiving Clerk	1997	\$5.50 - 8.50 (7.00)	\$6.50 - 10.00 (7.75)	\$8.00 - 12.00 (9.00)
Travel Agent	1998	\$6.00 - 9.00 (6.25)	\$7.00 - 11.50 (9.00)	\$8.00 - 15.00 (11.00)
Truck Driver, Light - Route and Delivery	1995	\$5.00 - 11.25 (6.50) Union (7.75)	\$6.00 - 12.50 (8.00) Union (7.75)	\$7.00-14.00 (9.50) Union (9.75)
Truck Driver, Heavy	1995	\$7.00 - 20.00 (9.50) Union (9.25)	\$9.00 - 20.00 (11.50) Union (10.75)	\$11.00 - 20.00 (14.00) Union (15.00)
Typist and Word Processor	1994	\$6.00 - 8.25 (7.00)	\$6.00 - 10.75 (8.00)	\$7.50 - 13.00 (10.00)
Underwriter, (Insurance)	1998	\$6.00 - 16.00 (11.25)	\$8.00 - 20.25 (13.50)	\$10.00 - 22.75 (18.00)
Veterinary Technician	1996	\$4.25 - 9.00 (6.25)	\$4.25 - 10.00 (8.00)	\$6.00 - 13.00 (10.50)
Vocational and Educational Counselor	1996	\$7.00 - 16.75 (10.25) Union (13.50)	\$9.50 - 20.00 (11.50) Union (15.75)	\$12.00 - 23.00 (15.00) Union (18.25)
Vocational Instructor and Teacher	1995	\$9.00 - 29.00 (11.00) Union (23.50)	\$10.00 - 29.00 (13.00) Union (24.75)	\$12.00 - 29.00 (13.00) Union (28.75)
Waiter / Waitress	1993	\$4.25 - 4.75 (4.25) Tips (5.00)	\$4.25 - 5.00 (4.25) Tips (6.00)	\$4.25 - 6.25 (4.25) Tips (7.00)
Water Treatment Plant Operator	1996	\$10.25 - 17.50 (13.50) Union (14.50)	\$12.00 - 19.00 (15.50) Union (17.25)	\$14.00 - 21.50 (18.00) Union (19.50)

	Year Survey		Wage Range and Median -	
Occupational Title	Published	No Experience	Experience	3 Years with Firm
Web Master / Web Site Designer	1998	\$8.00 - 15.50 (11.50)	\$10.00 - 20.75 (15.00)	\$14.00-28.50 (19.25)
Welder and Cutter	1998	\$5.50 - 15.00 (7.00) Union (10.00)	\$8.00 - 20.00 (12.00) Union (12.50)	\$13.00 - 25.00 (14.00) Union (15.50)
Window Washer	1996	\$5.00 - 10.00 (6.00)	\$5.50 - 12.00 (8.00)	\$6.00-15.00 (10.00)
Wholesale and Retail Buyer	1997	\$7.00 - 17.25 (9.00)	\$8.00 - 19.25 (12.00)	\$10.00 - 21.50 (14.50)
Writer and Editor	1996	\$5.00 - 10.00 (7.50)	\$6.00 - 12.00 (9.25)	\$9.50 - 16.00 (12.50)

APPENDIX C

REGIONAL CALIFORNIA AGENCIES PROVIDING LOCAL LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

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